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Visit To Southern States Enjoyed By McKinney Family

Following a week's tour of Louisiana, Georgia, Mississippi, Texas, Alabama and other Southern States that carried them into Florida, W. H. Coffman, well-known McKinney florist, wife and two sons, Billy and Frank, have returned to their home in McKinney. Their host of friends are delighted to see them home again and to learn that they had an enjoyable vacation. They made the trip by car.

Of unusual interest here, due to heavy spring and Summer rains, is the information brought by Mr. Coffman that many of the Southern States are going through a drouth and that it has been ten weeks or longer in some sections since rain has fallen. The drouth, he says, is seriously affecting growing crops.

Their long motor journey took them to the 1,000-acre flower farm of Burmister and Tunghart in Florida, which proved a revelation to them and which they, quite naturally, enjoyed. At that place they observed 100 acres of Cramey growing, Mr. Coffman bringing back samples of the product, and its fiber.

The fiber of this plant, he declared, is considered of unusual strength, and is used in the making of parachutes.

The government is sponsoring the growth of this plant in that Southern Sttae.

St. John's Lodge Team To Confer Master's Degree

The Master's Degree will be conferred at 7:30 o'clock Friday night of this week, announce R. P. Jones, Worshipful Master, and A. Blaine Smith, Secretary.

Two Master's Degrees were conferred Tuesday night at the Masonic Temple by St. John's Lodge No. 51 A. F. & A. M., when a large attendance of Masons from this and other North Texas cities were present.

Progress Made In Revival

Although the revival at the Central Church of Christ is only three days' old, interest and attendance are increasing at every service, and Evangelist V. E. Howard of Greenville, who is conducting the revival, is well pleased with the results thus far.

In all probability the services will be held in the open air tonight, but if the weather is unfavorable they will continue in the church. "May we greet you with a smile and a song book tonight," said Evangelist Howard.

First Methodist Vacation Bible School Growing

For two and a half hours each morning, the Daily Vacation Bible School is being held at the First Methodist Church this week, from Monday through Friday. Miss Dorris Turrentine, Teacher of the Intermediate Department of the Sunday School of that church, is directing the Bible School. Miss Annabelle Kerr is Secretary. Refreshments are served each morning.

Sessions start every morning at 8:30 o'clock and continue until 11, with separate classes for the four Sunday School grades. The teachers are: Mrs. Boyd R. Morris, Beginners; Mrs. Earl Slaughter, Primaries; Mrs. Roy Caldwell, Juniors, and Mrs. Nathan Eldridge, Intermediates.

The classes, which are divided into periods of study, discussion, plays, songs and worship periods, are open to the public and all children of these ages are urged to attend and take part.

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School Is Growing.

Miss Turrentine says that Rev. Earl J. Patton, Pastor of the First Methodist Church, spoke to the boys and girls Tuesday on the subject, "The Stained Window." Mrs. Clifford S. Weaver, wife of the Pastor of the First Christian Church, spoke Wednesday morning, on collecting and hobbies. She was accompanied by James Moudy, Texas Christian University student in Fort Worth, and assistant pastor of the First Christian Church this summer, who also spoke. Rev. Patton spoke again Thursday morning.

The school is growing each day, says Miss Turrentine. Thirty-nine attended Tuesday, while forty-nine were present for the Wednesday morning session.

Mrs. Homer Dowell, 501 North Tennessee Street, was taken home Wednesday evening from the McKinney City Hospital where she underwent an operation a few days ago.

Hershal Glenn Tree Enlists In Naval Reserve

Hershal Glenn Tree, 23, of Blue Ridge, Texas, has been enlisted in Class V-7, U. S. Naval Reserve, and will receive training leading to commissioned rank of Ensign, Naval Reserve recruiting officers at Dallas have announced.

Mr. Tree graduated from North Texas State Teachers College where he received the B. S. Degree in 1939, taught school one year in Granbury, received promotion as Physic teacher in Burkburnett, Texas.

After enlistment at Dallas, Mr. Tree was placed in an intactive duty status and orederd home to await further orders to attend a four months course of training in classes beginning September 16 at Northwestern University, hilago; U. S. S. Prairie State, New York; or U. S. Naval Academy, Annapolis.

A large number of vacancies now exist for enlistment in Class V-7 with training leading to commissioned rank. Applicants must be native born, unmarried male citizens of U. S. and possess a B. A., B. S. or Engineering degree from an accredited college or university. They must also be not less than 20 and under 28 years of age.

Uniforms, clothing and equipment is furnished at beginning of training. No pay is received for the preliminary training period of 30 days at the end of which those recommended receive appointment as Midshipman, U. S. Naval Reserve, and are given an additional three months training. Naval Reserve Midshipmen in training are paid $65.00 per month, plus daily ration. After graduation and commissioning as Ensign they are paid at rate of $125 per month, plus allowances, while on active duty. Those not recommended after the 30 days preliminary training are furnished transportation to their home and discharged or may at their own request be transferred to another branch of the Naval Reserve for which they are qualified.

Applications for enlistment in other branches of the Naval Reserve are also being accepted. Enlistment is for minority for those between 17 and 18 years of age, and four years for all others. Age limits are from 17 to 50 years. Active duty is required only in time of national emergency or war.

Funeral Is Held Here Wednesday For Tom C. Lewis

Funeral service for Tom C. Lewis, well known McKinney man, who died at 1 o'clock Tuesday afternoon at his home, 212 Short Street, were conducted at 3.30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon at the Crouch Funeral Chapel, interment following in Pecan Grove Cemetery.

Dr. R. L. Cowan, Pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, officiated, and the following nephews were the pallbearers: Cecil Myrick, Ray Myrick, Ernest Milligan, Ollie Andrews, Jess Bates and Fred Bates.

Mr. Lewis, who had a host of friends in this city and county, had lived here for many years. He had been declining in health for some time.

The deceased is survived by his bereaved wife, Mrs. Lula Lewis; one son, Rhea Lewis, and the following brothers and sisters: Dick Lewis, New Braunfels; Ben Lewis, Durant, Okla.; Will Reynolds, who lives in Denton County; Mrs. O. B. Myrick, McKinney; Mrs. W. W. Worden, Itasca; Mrs C. A. Wilson, Abilene, and Mrs. S. A. Shaw, Los Angeles, Calif.

Mr. Lewis was 64 years old. He was born August 4, 1867, in Collin County, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joel and Mary (Hunter) Lewis, now deceased. He spent his entire life in McKinney and for years was an active member of the Presbyterian Church. His parents and one daughter preceded him to the grave.

"Juneteenth" Is Observed In City Thursday

Thursday, June 19, is known throughout the South by the Colored Race as "Juneteenth" and on that day the colored citizens are holding picinics, parades, ball games and many oher kinds of amusements. It is the one day in the year that everyone expects the colored men, women and children of the community to celebrate Emancipation Day, and no one expects to be able to find any colored people working that day. Many McKinney and Collin County housewives, accustomed to colored help, are getting ready to prepare their own meals and attend to their own housework while their colored help takes the day off.

Nutritional Campaign Is In Progress

At a well-attended meeting Tuesday night in the District Courtroom of farmers and their wives and school teachers from many sections of Collin County, as well as representatives of the Federal Government agencies in this county, the nutritional campaign to help build up the health of the youth of this country as a part of the National Defense program got under way in earnest.

Sectional meetings had been held in many school districts and the McKinney meeting was in the form of a county-wide rally of all the workers, and most of them were here. A number of splendid talks were made by prominent men, followed by a long discussion on methods of procedure. The meeting lasted more than three hours, starting at 8 o'clock.

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Importance of Proper Nutrition.

"This is not a temporary venture, but a long-range program, in which we must list every man, woman and child in order to bring it to a successful conclusion," declared Dr. John M. Hooper, Director of the City-County Health Unit. He called attention to the percentage of young men rejected when they apply for enlistment or answer the draft and declared that most of their physical deficiency is caused by improper nutrition.

Dr. Hooper was followed by Miss Helen Dunlap, County Home Demonstration Agent, who explained the Texas food standards laid down by the Texas A. and M. College and U. S. Department of Agriculture, and illustrated her remarks with comprehensive charts showing what the average daily diet should be to build healthy youth.

County Judge Neilson Speaks.

County Agent Jack McCullough informally took charge of the meeting, introducing the speakers. County Judge H. H. Neilson, who made the first address, delivered a stirring patriotic discourse, taking as his main theme, "I Am An American." He pointed to the many countries overrun by Hitler and declared America is the only true democracy left on this earth today, a country where people are free to live their natural lives and to "preach and worship" as they please. "I Am an American," he said with feeling, "and I am proud of it down to my innermost being." Judge Neilson served in the A. E. F. during the first World War.

Other speakers were G. W. Orms, District Agent of the A. & M. Extension Service, who predicted that Hitler's army never would successfully invade the British Isles.

V. Marshall of Temple, head of the Texas Soil Conservation work, urged closer cooperation by the farmers and their families with the local County Agent and Home Demonstration Agent. "They need your cooperation," he said, "if they expect to succeed in the work they have undertaken."

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C. Hohn Speaks.

A clear and comprehensive explanation of what the Land Use Planning work really meant was given by C. Hohn, in charge of Land Use Planning Work for the Extension Department of A. & M. College. And after his talk a general discussion of the subject ensued in which many prominent farmers took part, including Charlie Dooley of Plano, President of the Collin County Farm Bureau, and George Jenkins of Celina, Chairman of the County Land Use Planning Committee.

Because of the heavy rains recently many of the sectional meetings scheduled in this nutritional campaign had to be cancelled, but the workers present Tuesday night said they planned to go over the ground again and hold all of those meetings as quickly as possible.

McKinney Man Enjoys Visit In Amarillo

J. S. Hand, Deputy in the office of County Tax Assessor-Collector Clint M. Lewis, has returned from a week's vacation spent visiting his sister, Mrs. G. A. McCullough, at Amarillo. Mrs. McCullough has been quite ill, but is greatly improved now, friends of the family will be pleased to learn.

Mr. Hand was accompanied to Amarillo by his mother, Mrs. Eva Hand, and his wife and little daughter, Louise. His mother remained in Amarillo to stay with her daughter while she is ill. Mr. Hand's wife and daughter returned with him. Of Amarillo, Mr. Hand said he never did see so much water along the highway. "At some places," he said, "the water was clear across the paved road and came up to the running board of his car."

Grasshopper Poison Arrives In This County

A carload of grasshopper poison has been received from the Federal Government and unloaded in the County Warehouse, where it will be available for all farmers who need it to fight these pests among the cotton and other farm crops.

County Agent Jack McCullough said Wednesday that the poison will be given free of charge to any farmer who calls for it. The County Warehouse is located near the Compress in Northeast McKinney and across the street from the colored school. The carload shipment arrived from Colorado Wednesday morning.

Grasshoppers have been especially harmful among the crops in the lowlands, Agent McCullough said. Many farmers have been asking him when the poison would arrive.

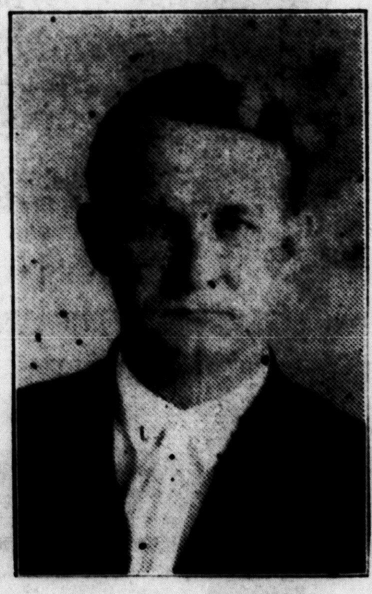
Collin Livestock Association To Meet Saturday

The monthly meeting of the Collin County Pure Bred Livestock Association will be held on the Rush stock farm in Southwest Collin, six miles West of Plano, Saturday afternoon, June 21, at 1 o'clock. It will be the third in a series of five monthly out door meetings held by the Association this Spring and Summer, and another big treat is in store for those who attend, according to Joe C. Moore, of Melissa, President, and W. T. Dungan, of near McKinney, Secretary.

C. D. Coltharp, Manager of the huge Rush farm of 2,200 acres, will be host to the livestockmen and there will be a big feast with barbecued meats and all of the trimmings. The feast and meeting will be open to all members and their wives and families.

All members are urged to attend.

City Official Goes Under Knife



HENRY C. MILLER.

All will be grieved to hear of the sudden illness of City Attorney Henry C. Miller, who was taken to the McKinney City Hospital Tuesday evening for an operation. Hospital reports Wednesday morning were to the effect that Mr. Miller was doing very well, which will be good news to all of the many friends of this fine man. He is a Former Mayor and Former City Commissioner and for the past seven years has served as City Attorney. He is an able and outstanding business man and attorney. Henry C. Miller is a full man's man.

Mrs. George M. Eubanks was taken to her home, 212 Standifer Street, after being operated on at the McKinney City Hospital. She is getting along nicely.

Mrs. Eugene McCarley was brought here from Blue Ridge Tuesday afternoon and was operated on Wednesday at the McKinney City Hospital.

J. M. McLemore was appointed by the City Commission as Mayor of Van Alstyne to fill out the unexpired term of W. W. Blassingame, resigned. Mr. McLemore took office Monday and will serve until April, 1942.

Mr. McLemore served three terms as a Commissioner from 1921 to 1927. From 1927 to 1935 he served four terms as Mayor.

Autoists, who do not have drivers' licenses, and desiring to obtain drivers' licenses are directed to file their applications in the office of Justice of the Peace Clyde Doyle in the court house, where two examining highway patrolmen will be stationed Thursday afternoon from 2 to 4:30 o'clock. The patrolmen are G. B. Trulock and A. F. Temple of the Drivers' License Division of the Department of Public Safety.

Marvin Collins President Of McKinney Jaycees

Officers were elected for the ensuing six months, and other important business was transacted at the semi-monthly meeting of the McKinney Junior Chamber of Commerce, held Tuesday noon at Woods Cafe, with President Clyde Doyle presiding. Marvin Collins, active in local business, civic, and church circles of the city and a leader in the Junior Chamber of Commerce for several years, was elected President.

The Jaycees are rounding out a successful and busy half year of work under the able direction of President Doyle, and under President Collins are expected to continue their worthwhile activities in the interest of their home town and community .

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Officers Elected.

The complete list of Jaycee officials follows:

Marvin Collins, President.
Virgil Hines, Vice President.
Winfred Taylor, Vice President.
Don W. Bagwill, re-elected Secretary.
Jim Cantrell re-elected Treasurer.
Bill Finney, Tailtwister.

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Directors.

The officers were chosen from a group of fifteen Directors, who had previously been elected from a group of twenty-five names submitted by the Nominations Committee. The Directors are:

Marvin Collins.
Virgil Hines.
Winifred Taylor.
Jim Cantrell.
Bill Finney.
Clyde Doyle.
E. W. Dobbs.
G. D. Ledbetter.
Dr. M. S. Minton.
Carlos Pruett.
Alfred M. Scott, Jr.
R. Percy Jones.
A. H. Eubanks.
J. W. (Swede) McMurry.
Don W. Bagwill.

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Retiring Officials Thanked.

A rising vote of thanks was given President Doyle and other retiring officials for their successful term of office and for their interest shown in the organization.

President Doyle thanked each member for his able assistance during the past half year and predicted even more accomplishments during the next half year for the Jaycees.

It was during President Doyle's term of office that the Jaycees successfully sponsored a drive for $500.00 t oequip a pre-natal clinic at the McKinney City Hospital, sponsored a bathing beauty revue opening the Municipal Swimming Pool and sponsored other worthwhile accomplishments.

Selectees Given Rousing Send-Off Here Wednesday

The sixteen Selectees who left for Dallas Wednesday morning for induction into the nation's peacetime army, listened attentively to a patriotic address by Thos. Johnson, President of the Collin County National Bank, when a rally meeting was held in the District Court Room at 8:30 o'clock.

Mr. Johnson, a well-known business man, financier and civic worker of McKinney, told the young men that McKinney and Collin County are proud of them for answering the call of their country and he assured them that they would not be forgotten when they are away from home for a year's training.

Commander J. W. McKinney of the Jimmie Geigas American Legion Post introduced the speaker. The Post sponsored the rally and in addition to the selectees, a large number of relatives and friends of the boys attended.

County Judge H. H. Neilson who originated the "Your Friend" Club, explained the purpose of this organization and then introduced the Selectees to their sponsors who promise dto write the boys at least once a month while they are in camp and keep them posted on what is happening in their respective home towns.

Life in the army was described in a graphic manner by Captain Tully B. Lucas, who served in the 36th Division of the A. E. F. during World War No. 1.

The benediction was pronounced by Rev. G. C. Ford, well-known McKinney Methodist Minister.

Another call has been received for sixteen more young men who will report for duty on July 8 under the Selective Service Act. Eight of these will be sent by Draft Board No. 1, of which T. B. Sisco is the Chief Clerk, and eight by Board No. 2, of which Ula Saunders is the Chief Clerk.

The Selectees who departed for camp today were:

T. M. Welborn of Farmersville was a business visitor in the County Seat.

C. T. Calloway Recalls Hazards On Mail Route

Charles T. Calloway of Blue Ridge carried a rural mail route out of Blue Ridge for 28 years before his retirement in 1932 and can recall the time when he rode horseback when there was not a grader in Collin County to improve the roads. He has had horses down on him in mud-holes and has had his face frozen several times, besides being thrown from horses.

Uncle Sam has been good to him, Mr. Calloway says. When ill health might have forced his retirement some years before he did retire, he was able to arrange through Congressman Sam Rayburn for permission to take a member of his family with him to make his rounds in his car, though there was a rule against carrying passengers.

Mr. alloway now writes insurance. He was in the garage and filling station business four years but sold out last October.

He was born at Pine Hill, Ky., 74 years ago last month. His family moved to Texas in 1885 and settled near Blue Ridge. Mr. Calloway entered the mail service in 1904. He was married to Miss Janie Woolbright at Verona in 1892.

Six of their nine children are living: George P. Calloway of Littlefield, Lee Calloway of Lockney, Johnnie Calloway of Guthrie, Okla., A. C. Calloway at home, Mrs. Virgie Knott of Blue Ridge and Mrs. Euna Meek of Lubbock.

Babcock Bros. Observe 21st Anniversary

Babcock Bros. Auto Supply Company with headquarters in Denison and branches in McKinney and at several other North Texas points, celebrated the twenty-first anniversary Sunday with a banquet at the Hotel Denison. F. O. Babcock, General Manager and Secretary-Treasurer of the Company, was presented with a handsome plaque by H. E. Keller, of Akron, Ohio, General Manager of the Bruncwick Tire Company, whose products the Babcock Company handles. Attending the banquet from McKinney were Oscar Greer, Manager of the McKinney branch; R. W. Hall, O. D. Blankenship and Elton Wright.

An engraved gold watch was also presented to Mr. Babcock by Farley Reasonover of Dallas, attorney for the firm, the presentation being made on behalf of the employes.

Parking Meters Installed Around Public Square

Fifty parking meters are being installed around the Public Square by the Dual Parking Meter Company of Oklahoma City, under an agreement with the City of McKinney that the meters may be used on trial for a period of six months. If they do not prove satisfactory, they will be returned to the company without obligation.

Purpose of the meters is to afford convenient parking spaces for those wishing to do their shopping in McKinney. The rates are very nominal. To park 24 minutes will cost 1 cent, and for two hours five cents, and autoists may stay in the same parking place as long as they continue to deposit in the slot 5 cents for each two hours.

Instructions appearing on the meters are:

Green signal indicates time on meter.

Red spot indicates violation of the meter.

White hand shows unexpired time on meter.

Red hand shows extra ten-minute grace period after legal limit expires.

Time Limits.

Rates: 1 cent for 24 minutes. 5 cents for two hours.

Additional time cannot be bought by placing more than one coin in the meter at the same time.

Any time left on the meter is free to an incoming car.

THE CITY OF McKINNEY.

Mrs. Homer Johnson and son William Avery of Dallas spent Sunday here with her sister, Mrs. Fred Burnett and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Clifton take this means of advising their friends of the approaching marriage of their daughter Miss Betty Clifton to Mr. Ray M. Crouch of Joinerville, Texas.

No formal invitations have been mailed in McKinney, but every member of the First Baptist Church and any other interested friend is hereby invited to be present at the wedding ceremony. It will take place on Sunday evening, June 22nd, at seven fifteen, in the church.

Home Demonstration Club Women To Place Exhibits In Store Windows Emphasizing Use Of Cotton Stamps

The Home Demonstration Club Women, at their meeting of the County Council Saturday afternoon in the Chamber of Commerce rooms, planned to place exhibits in store windows in all the towns in cooperation with the merchants, emphasizing the use of cotton stamps. By these exhibits the club women expect to help the merchants inform the public about the use of these stamps before the people have them to use. These stamps are issued to farmers who comply with he government in taking out of production at least one acre of cotton, says Miss Helen Dunlap, County Home Demonstration Club agent. They are used in purchasing all cotton materials made of American cotton.

Plans were also made in this meeting for club women and a 4-H Club sponsor to attend the annual short course to be held in College Station during the week of July 13.

Each club was instructed to make a nomination immediately for a delegate to the biannual state home demonstration meeting to be held this year in Beaumont in September. This is election year and new officers in this state association will be elected. From the nominees the clubs make, three delegates will be elected in the August county council meeting.

Another matter of importance attended at the meeting last Saturday, was the selection of the theme of Food and Feed for National Defense to be carried out in the educational exhibits in the county fair.

Union Church Services To Be Held This Summer

The Christian, Presbyterian and Methodist Churches of McKinney will again unite this summer in holding Sunday night union church services on the lawn of the J. H. Hill (Central) Ward School, announces Dr. R. L. Cowan, Pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, and President of the Pastor's Association of this city.

Cooperating Churches will be the First Presbyterian, First Christian, First Methodist, and the Central Presbyterian.

The services will begin Sunday night, June 22, and will continue to Sunday, September 7. Dr. Cowan will be the speaker at the first service, Rev. Earl J. Patton, Pastor of the First Methodist Church, the second speaker, and Dr. Clifford S. Weaver, Pastor of the First Christian Church, the third speaker.

The Pastors will alternate in bringing the messages, with a possibility of visiting ministers also assisting in the program. Members of the cooperating churches and the general public will be invited and urged to attend these Sunday night religious church services, says Dr. Cowan. Seats are being installed, lights erected and other preparations made for the summer series of religious programs.

Mrs. Minnie Viola Ray, 38, Dies At Home In Altoga

Mrs. Minnie Viola Ray, 38 years old, wife of O. L. Ray of Altoga, died at the family residence there Friday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. She had been in poor health for several years.

Mrs. Ray was born in Gainesville, April 7, 1903, spent her entire life in Texas and for the past sixteen years made her home in the Altoga Community, in East Collin. She was a member of the Altoga Baptist Church and was well known and highly esteemed in that community. She was preceded in death by her parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. John W. Gentle; one brother and one sister. Surviving are her bereaved husband and two children, Carl Wilford Ray and Glenn Wesley Ray, who live at the Altoga home. She also leaves the following brothers and sisters: George F. B. Gentle, Mrs. G. E. Lane, Mrs. J. E. Lamb, all of Amarillo; Mrs. W. B. Pettus, of Alvord, and Mrs. Johnnie Ray, of Valdasta

Funeral services were conducted at 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon at the Altoga Tabernacle by Rev. John R. Hilger, of Greenville, interement following in the Altoga Cemetery.

The Crouch Funeral Home of McKinney had charge of the burial.

Supreme Court Appointments Are Announced

Disregarding party lines, President Roosevelt Thursday morning sent to the Senate one elevation in the Supreme Court and two nominations for Associate Justices. Justice Harlan Fish Stone. Liberal Republican from New Hampshire, an appointee of President Calvin Coolidge in 1925, was elevated to the highest post, Chief Justice, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Chief Justice Charles Evans Hughes, who will retire on July 1.

Attorney General Robert H. Jackson and Senator James Byrnes, Democrat of South Carolina, were appointed Associate Justices. Rumors in Washington are that all three recommendations of the President will be speedily approved by the Senate.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Warden have purchased the new five room cottage from Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Roper on South College Street. Mr. Roper and family are moving to Corpus Christi and Mr. and Mrs. Warden and daughter will occupy their new home about July 1.

New Library For Use Of Collin School Children

Installation of new and attractive shelving has been completed, the room has been entirely refinished and repainted, and the new library for the use of pupils of the Collin County Schools will be ready to open Saturday.

This was one of the favorite projects of County Superintendent J. W. Moseley. He is happy to be able to tell the public that the library is about ready for use. Use of the Southeast corner room in the basement of the Courthouse was granted by the County Commissioners Court and work of refinishing, repainting and equipping the room began immediately.

There will be upwards of 4,600 library books in this school library for the use of school children. The old storage room in the courthouse is now being used only for text books. A librarian will be placed in charge of the new room, there will be comfortable chairs and about 100 standard magazines will be received for the use of pupils. When schools reopen in September, Superintendent Moseley said, the "bookmobile" service to all county schools will be resumed, but the library will be kept open for the convenience of children who happen to be in McKinney from time to time.

Splendid Prices Being Paid Onion Growers In Collin

While the top price for high grade yellow onions last season was around $1.00 a bushel, the market this week ranges from $2.00 to as high as $2.75, depending on the quality of the product, according to prominent onion buyers, who have been buying onions from the farmers as fast as they can gather them and bring them to McKinney.

Because of the recent heavy rains, harvesting of the crop was halted and even yet the farmers can only get into the fields in a few dry spots. The total production in Collin County is also materially reduced this year, it was said by farmers who are in the city with loads of onions.

In many cases the onions are wet and muddy, when gathered, and they are brought to McKinney and strewn over the ground near the railroad station and allowed to dry.

Despite the slowing up of shipments from McKinney due to the rains, five carloads left this city Thursday over two railroads destined for the Northern and Eastern markets, where Collin County onions always bring top prices because of their superior quality.

Three carloads were shipped from here Thursday night over the Texas Electric line, according to C. W. Bedell, Agent, and two cars left here over the Southern Pacific Thursday. T. C. Martin, Agent for that line, reported.

The amount of money involved in these five carloads is no small figure. There are 25,000 pounds to the car and even at the minimum of $2.00 for each 50 pounds, this runs into money for the farmers of Collin County as well as for the brokers.

Farmers who have been bringing in what onions they could gather said they will all continue to work in the fields all day Sunday if it doesn't rain any more.

If they do, the shipments from McKinney Sunday and Monday will be very heavy, it is said.

Society Notes

ANNA GRADUATE'S WEDDING REVEALED.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Strother of Anna have announced the marriage of their daughter, Ann Jack, to Lee Deward Herring, which took place March 19 at Colorado City. Rev. H. H. Black officiated at his home. The couple was attended by Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rankin of Colorado City.

The bride was an honor graduate of Anna High School in 1937 and is to be graduated in August from Texas Technilogical College at Lubbock with a major in Home Economics. She is a member of Las Vivarachas Social Club.

The bridegroom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. W. B Herring of Mineral Wells, a 1937 graduate of Allen Military Academy and a member of the August graduating class at Tech, majoring in physical education. He is a member of two college clubs, played football three years with the Red Raiders. He has a traveling position with an oil company and is to be located at Mineral Wells.

HENLEY-MALONE NUPTIALS.

Miss Louise Malone, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Malone of Frisco and sister of J. Henderson Malone of this city, became the bride Tuesday evening of A. C. Henley of McAllen, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Baldwin Henley of Marlin. The double ring ceremony was performed in the First Christian Church in Frisco with Rev. Granville Walker of Fort Worth officiating. The improvised altar was formed of baskets of mixed white flowers and ferns and tall candelabra with white tapers. Edward G. Reynolds, brother-in-law of the bride, of Pharr, gave the wedding music. Mrs. Mattie Carter sang "Because."

The bride was given in marriage by her father. Little Patricia Kerby of Oklahoma City, cousin of the bride was flower girl and David Henderson Malone of McKinney, nephew of the bride, was ring bearer. Matron of honor was the bride's sister, Mrs. Edward G Reynolds, of McAllen. Another sister, Miss Elizabeth Malone of Henderson and Miss Doris Fay Watson of Frisco were brides maids. The groom's best man was his brother, J. B. Henley, Jr., of Houston. Ushers were J. Henderson Malone of McKinney and Henry Barton of Wichita Falls.

Immediately following the wedding a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents. Mrs. C. E. Kerby of Oklahoma City and Mrs. C. L. Snow of Wichita Falls, aunts of the bride, assisted by Mrs. J. Henderson Malone and Miss Elizabeth Malone served punch and cake in the dining room. Miss Doris Fay Watson presided at the bride's book.

The couple left immediately for a wedding trip before returning to their home at McAllen. Mrs. Henley is a graduate of NTSTC at Denton where she was a member of Kappa Theta Pi Sorority, Mary Arden club, Pi Omega Pi and Vice-President of Marquis-Terrell hall dormitory system. During the past year she was librarian of the Pharr-San Juan-Alamo High School. Mr. Henley was formerly employed by the City State Bank and Trust Company of McAllen, but is now Vice President and Cashier of the State Bank at Mission.

A rehearsal dinner was given at the home of the bride's parents Monday evening for the wedding party.

Mrs. W. A. Brewer, Mrs. George Robertson, Mrs. J. M. Mallow, Mrs. Carter Fisher, and Mrs. W. B. Staley were hostesses on Friday, June 13 at a shower honoring Miss Louise Malone, and her sister, Miss Elizabeth Malone, whose marriage will take place August 4.

LITTRELL-BURCH.

Miss Ruth Burch, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Coyt Burch, of Weston, and Doyle Littrell, son of Mrs. S. M. Littrell, of near Anna, were united in marriage Sunday morning. Rev. Thomas E. McKnight, Pastor of the Anna Methodist Church, officiated at his home. They were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Evans Giles of Murphy, sister and brother-in-law of the bridegroom. The bride is a Spring graduate of the Anna High School. Mr. Littrell attended school at Anna and Dallas.

The couple are at home in the Coffman community.

Land Use Planning Committee Holds Rally At Celina

Directed by George Jenkins of Celina, Chairman of the Collin County Land Use Planning Committee, a rousing patriotic meeting was held at the Baptist Church in Celina Monday night. The church was packed almost to capacity and a splendid program was carried out.

Mrs. C. F. Choate, Home Economics Teacher at Celina, delivered an interesting and instructive talk on the need for better nutrition in the diet of the youth of the community. She pointed out the vital need for this educational campeign as a part of the National Defense Program.

During the evening the Boy Scouts presented drills, which were greatly enjoyed.

Miss Ann Anderson of Lynchburg, Va., is the house guest of Miss Frances Wolford. Miss Anderson and Wolford were classmates at Stephens College the past year.

WESTON

By Miss Mary Button

Benny Stiles is visiting at Brownwood.

The Ab Phillips barn near here was destroyed by fire of undetermined origin.

Miss Ethel Temvlin of Dallas visited her mother, Mrs Hattie Templin.

Mrs. Roy George underwent a major overation at the McKinney hospital.

Frances Bradley of Cottage Hill is visiting her sister, Mrs. Herman Parrish and family.

Mrs. Price Melton and son of Anna visited Mr. and Mrs. Charley Lane.

Mrs. Ben Groves is reported improving following a severe attack of measles.

Dube Aaron is reported ill of pneumonia at his home in Warden.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Morgan of Dallas visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Morgan.

Mrs. Ray Bradley is a patient in the McKinney hospital after a major operation.

Frances Jean Phillips, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Phillips is ill of measles.

Mr. and Mrs. Doug. Cassaday of Denton visited Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Cassaday.

The Brown and Cassaday skating rink here which is being torn down is to be rebuilt near McKinney, it has been announced.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Johnson of Ardath svent Tuesday night and Wednesday here with Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Jones and family.

Garth Burch has returned to Scotts Field, Ill., after a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Coyt Burch.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Choate and son Ben of Celina, Mrs. J. Harry Price of Waco visited Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Choate.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Moore and family and Willie Erwin Brimer of Kansas City are visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Brown.

Mrs. Ira Nixon and Kathryn Jo Dunn are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Will Nixon and family at Van Alstyne.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ash Jr., have announced the birth of a son, Billie Ray. Mrs. Ash is the former Miss Pauline Perry daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Felix Perry.

Recent guests of Mrs. J. E. Frair were Mrs. C. B. Lindsey and children Joe and Wesley of Greenville; Corp. Paul Frair and Serg. Woodrow Woods of Camp Walters, Mineral Wells.

Lester Loftice, son of Mr. and Mrs. Claud Loftice has gone to Canton, Ohio where he has accepted a job with a steel plant. He is a graduate of the Celina High school and atttended Texas A. & M.

The marriage of Miss Roberta Loftice, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claud Loftice to Clarence Allen Rawlings of Celina has been announced. The ceremony was read by Rev. Ray Stanley, Baptist minister at his home at Melissa. Miss Mary Ruth Beckner and Omar Rawlings, brother of the bride-groom were attendants. The bride is a graduate of the Celina high school while he attended school at Rhea Mill. They are at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charley Rawlings near Celina.

ROUTH

By Doris Lee Randles

Mr. and Mrs. Press Ingram visited Mr. and Mrs. John Miller.

Mrs. A. S. George visited Mrs. S. E. Randles.

Mrs. Jim Montgomery has been on the sick list.

Troy Jim Randles visited Bokley Atterburry at Farmersville.

Patsy Nevils has had the measles.

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Mahan visited Bob Press and family.

Jim Montgomery visited Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Duckworth.

Rev. A. A. Farley and wife and daughter Joy visited Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Randles.

Mrs. Anna Box and children visited Mrs. A. S. George.

Mrs. Susy Nevils has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Duckworth.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence George and son Bennie visited Mrs. A. S. George.

Wanta Lee Press and Mary Lee Randles visited Waltra and Opal Vanbeavers.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Marnett and son Windell are visiting Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Randles and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Nevils visited Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Duckworth.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Randles were H. F. Nitcholas and family of Princeton and Mrs. Maud Harrington.

Miss Doris Elaine Crockett of Dallas is the week-end guest of Miss Joy Hope.

Miss Helen Hicks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hicks, left Friday for Boulder, Colo., where she will be in summer school in the college there.

CLIMAX

By Wilma McComic, Corr.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Miller visited Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Harbin.

Mrs. Clifford Herring visited Mrs. Katsie Maynor.

Miss Georgia Craver visited her sister, Mrs. Lucille Anderson.

Mrs. Bessie McMahan visited her mother Mrs. Tom Recer.

Mrs. Mertie Recer of Verona visited her mother Mrs. Long.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Rowan have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Harbin.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Jones of Dallas visited Mr. and Mrs. Ira McComic.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Myrick and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Myrick of Princeton.

Mr. and Mrs. Osie McIntire and daughter Charlsie visited Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Harbin.

Mr. and Mrs. Crockett Maynor visited Jordon Maynor and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Myrick and son Billie visited Mrs. J. C. Bloomer of Blue Ridge.

Jack Vanbeaver of T. T. S. T. C. visited Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Willis.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Langley and children of Culleoka spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Recer.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Harbin and Mr. and Mrs. Lester Myrick visited Mr. and Mrs. Ira McComic.

BOMAR'S CHAPEL

By Mrs. E. L. Bomar

Wilson School closed May 6.

Earl Davis is in Lubbock.

E. L. Bomar is working in Dallas this week.

Homer Miller has been on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Winston Bomar visited Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Bomar.

Brother Gilbert spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Bomar.

Mrs. Leona Bomar and Verta Lou of Dallas visited Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Bomar.

Mrs. E. L. Bomar and George Bomar visited Winston Bomar of Dallas.

J. B. Bosely and wife visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. Jim Peters at Lowery Crossing.

The outsiders play was rained out but was put on the following Thursday after school was dismissed.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Bomar received a graduation invitation from their nephew Buron Henry of Waxahachie.

STIFF CHAPEL

By Miss Nellcene Capps, Cor.

Mrs. Charles Daniels is being treated in the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Garnett Reese and daughter Glenda, spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Gray.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Johnson of McKinney, Mr. and Mrs. A. D Graves and son of Melissa visited Mr and Mrs. B. N. Capps.

Ed Martin, Gene Martin, Lud Martin and wife, Mrs. N. A. Mitchell and Mrs. Lula McClelland, all of Graham, Fred Mitchell of Wilson and Truman Mitchell and family attended the funeral of the late Mr. W. T. Mitchell.

Mrs. Walter Yarbrough, bookkeeper for the Weaver Chevrolet Company of Plano, was in McKinney Wednesday, registering transfers of automobiles sold by the Weaver firm.

Mrs. Therman Henderson and little daughter, Mary Lou, of Beaumont, have returned home after a few days' visit with Mrs. Henderson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ula Saunders, 804 West Tucker Street.

Personals

W. M. Lacke of Clearlake made a business trip to McKinney.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Taylor spent the week-end in Waco with Mrs. Taylor's sister, Mrs. Walter Reese and family.

Mrs. Charles E. Daniel, of McKinney, Route 3, was removed to his home Saturday from the City Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Ike Smith of Celina were in our city Wednesday. We acknowledge a pleasant visit from them.

Mrs. Neville Talkington has been visiting her Mother, Mrs. C. D. Howard in Corsicana this week.

Mrs. Kenn Massey made a business trip to the County Seat Tuesday. She is a well-known resident of Celina.

Joe Clark, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bateman Clark, of Celina, has gone to Mobile, Ala., where he is employed now as a guard at a large oil refinery.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. DeLaMar of this city spent the week-end in Fort Worth, guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. DeLaMar, Sr.

Mrs. George H. Harris, who underwent an operation at the McKinney City Hospital, was taken to her home on South Parker Street Tuesday.

Mrs. Clifton Dowell and sons Clifton Jr., Charles Pat and Ed have been spending the past week with her parents in Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. John Payne of Weston entertained about 15 guests at a fish dinner at their home. They included John Starnes of Los Angeles, Calif., and Dan Dunham of Van Alstyne.

Mrs. Cordea Simpson, who lives on Route 2, McKinney, was brought to the McKinney City Hospital Tuesday evening and underwent an operation Wednesday.

Mary Frances Cox returned to her home in Fort Worth Saturday after spening a week here visiting her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Foster and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Boone, Frank G. Dowell, Jr., Mrs. W. B. Hansell, all of Dallas, were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. J. Ollie Smith. Mr. and Mrs. Sewell Franklin were dinner guests.

Mrs. W. S. Wysong, Sr., and little grandson, Scotty Wysong III, have returned from a delightful week-end trip to Houston and Galveston. While there they enjoyed a boat ride on the Gulf.

Glenn Marks, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Marks of Celina, has been made a member of the Phi Delta Kappa Fraternity, a national organization. The honor was bestowed on young Marks a few days ago.

There was little change in Judge E. W. Merritt's condition Wednesday. He has been ill for some time at his home, 408 North Waddill Street. His host of friends wish him a speedy recovery.

Mrs. C. T. Lewis and daughter, Mrs. John S. Myers of Dallas, and Mrs. Lucille Frazier have returned from a most delightful two weeks motor trip to California. Enroute there they visited Mrs. Lewis' brother, A. J. Franklin, at Payson, Ariz.

A family dining was enjoyed Sunday at the home of Dr. and Mrs. J. L. Gossett in this city. Attending were Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Malone, Mr. and Mrs. S. G. McKnight and daughter, Mary Ann, and Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Turner and son, Johnny. Mrs. Turner is a daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Gossett.

Mrs. Otis Nelson of this city, accompanied by her husband, was taken to Dallas Tuesday evening, where she submitted to an operation Wednesday. Mr. Nelson is a well-known McKinney grocer, whose establishment is located on North Tennessee Street. Mrs. Nelson's many friends wish for her a speedy recovery to her usual good health again.

Jack Gilmore, son of Mr. and Mrs. Karl Gilmore of this city, has gone to Camp Bullis, near San Antonio, where he will be in the medical corps for the next six weeks. He is a Junior in the Medical School of Baylor University at Dallas, and when he returns will be with Baylor hospital and will continue his studies.

While Mr. and Mrs. Ira Lee, who have a chicken farm near Celina, have been going to town several evenings a week, marauders have been stealing chickens. The last time they reported someone stole 23 fine fryers and 22 laying hens. They think the person or persons who visit their chicken yard during their absence are acquainted with their habits and pick the time when Mr. and Mrs. Lee are away.

Plano's Post Office will occupy larger and more convenient quarters within sixty days, it became known when a contract was signed by the Government with Mr. Fouche for lease of the Fouche Building on Mechanic Street, next door to the E. O. Harrington Furniture Store. The Post Office it was said, will be moved into the Fouche Building about the middle of August or September 1 at the latest.

Miss Beatrice Boone, Mr. and Mrs. Orthelle Boone, Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Stewman and son, Tommy, spent the past week-end in Austin as guests of Oren Boone and family and Buford Boone and family. They also visited in New Braunfels and San Antonio. Miss Arbye Boone, who had been in Austin for sometime, returned home with them. Buford, Jr., also come home to spend the summer with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Boone.

Mrs. A. S. Brown has returned to her home in Houston after a 2-week's visit to her sisters, Mesdames Grover Furr and Ida Cunningham and her brother, Gene Martin. Mrs. Brown's husband, who is a former citizen of this county, is special agent for the Southern Steamship Company, at Houston. Mrs. Brown called at our office and renewed her subscription to the Weekly Democrat-Gazette before returning to her home.

E. S. Hendres, prominent farmer of Farmersville, spent Thursday in the County Seat. He said the wheat and corn crops in his section were badly damaged by the rains, but since it stopped raining the waters in the small streams have receded and road conditions are not so bad. Work in the fields, however, he said, was next to impossible, although some onion growers are beginning to gather their crops.

J. L. Boren of Blue Ridge was brought to the McKinney City Hospital and underwent an operation Thursday evening. He is reported doing well Friday.

Mrs. W. C. Berry and little daughters, Peggy Jean and Patricia Ann, are from Manila, Philippine Islands, guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Cox. Mrs. Berry expects to remain here until her husband, Dr. Berry, now stationed at Sternberg Hospital in Manila, is transferred back to the States.

Mrs. J. C. Erwin, Jr., daughters Annie Malone and Betty, Mrs. Florence Hill and daughters, Daisy Jane and Judy, and Goldie Mae Caldwell left Wednesday for Marshall and Shreveport. Annie Malone Erwin, Daisy Jane Hill and Goldie Mae Caldwell will enter Camp Fern at Marshall for a month while the rest of the party will visit Dr. and Mrs. P. R. Gilmer in Shreveport for a day or so.

Chilton Board, who holds a responsible traveling position with Buxton Inc., New Orleans, La., has been here this week on his vacation, visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Board. Friday morning his parents will accompany him on a motor trip to San Antonio, where they will spend the week-end with their son and brother, Robert Board, who is in training at Fort Sam Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. James Kimbriel left Thursday for Houston to visit his sister, Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Daughtry, after which they go to Yoakum for a visit with Mrs. Kimbriel's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Armour. They will then visit in Monterey, Mexico, and San Antonio, returning to their home at Kermit by July 15 where Mrs. Kimbriel will teach in the summer school. They spent the past three weeks here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Kimbriel.

While attempting to fill the radiator of a car brought in by a customer, R. E. Jenkins, who operates a filling station at 319 East Louisiana Street, was painfully but not seriously burned about the face, neck and arms. The radiator had been overheated and was in need of water when the customer drove into the station Thursday morning. When the cold water struck the heated radiator the steam spurted up into Mr. Jenkins' face. He was given immediate attention by a physician and taken to his home on North Benge Street.

All relatives and friends of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Bialack of Plano are invited to attend a picnic lunch at the City Park there Sunday, June 22, when they will celebrate their fiftieth wedding anniversary. Mr. and Mrs. Bialack are among the best known residents of the Plano Community.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hill and Mr. and Mrs. Red Wilson have returned from an extended vacation. They visited Mr. Hill's relatives in Tennessee and from there went to Columbus, Ohio, to visit Bill Maple. They stopped at a number of interesting places along the route and report a most enjoyable trip.

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ROSAMOND
By Mrs. Eck Brown, Cor.

Mrs. J. F. Hudson Jr., of Blue Ridge visited George Hudson.

E. H. Brown and George Whitfield were Denton visitors.

George Hudson was a visitor in Blue Ridge.

Herman Hudson is visiting in Blue Ridge.

Miss Alice Hudson visited Miss Esther Moore.

We are sorry to hear of the death of C. W. Russell.

Miss Reba Reaves of Anna visited Miss Hazel Webb.

Chockie Brown visited Mrs. Stella Webb and family.

Miss Esther Moore and Alice Hudson visited Miss Emogene and Hazel Webb.

Miss Alice Hudson and Miss Katy May Russell were in McKinney Wednesday on business.

Miss Alice Hudson is reporting the news while Mrs. Brown is on vacation.

Mrs. George Whitsfield, Miss Ollie Myrick and Miss Esther Moore visited in McKinney.

Miss Bernice Whitfield and Stover Dooley were married Saturday night.

Mrs. J. L. Hudson and children are visiting her sister, Mrs. Willie Candle of Graybill.

Misses Hazell Webb and Miss Esther Moore visited Miss Alice Hudson.

Harry Gaither, Bill Russell and Clyde Robertson were McKinney visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Kent and son of Melissa visited Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Webb.

Chockie Brown and Edward Relk of Brownwood are visiting their parents.

Donald Edwards, Jack Bell and George Forbes went fishing at Lake Dallas.

Mrs. Harry Gaither and Blanch and Tommie Jo Russell visited Mrs. Stella Webb.

Rev T. C. Ingram and daughter Ruth of Plainview visited his brother-in-law, J. L. Hudson and family.

E. H. Brown and J. L. Hudson took Mrs. Brown and children to Sonora where they will visit her sister.

Jim Moore of McKinney visited his mother and sisters, Mrs. Edith Moore, Mrs. Ollie Miracle and Miss Esther Moore. Mrs. Miracle returned with him.

FITZHUGH MILLS
By Mrs. Nell Tyler, Corr.

Misses Jo and Jean Ritter visited Marita Matlock.

Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Evans visited Earl Evans and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Jenkins are visiting relatives here from Los Angeles, Calif.

Jorjorie Loretta Tyler is visiting her cousin, Janet Tyler in McKinney.

Friends here of the late Judge J. E. Abernathy regretted to learn of his passing.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Corzine of Fruitdale acres, Dallas, visited Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Evans.

Cloud Tyler is spending a few days the guest of his brother, Floyd Tyler of Bonham.

Mrs. Nell Tyler will leave Saturday for Tulsa, Okla., to accept a position there. She underwent a minor operation last week but is recovering.

BLUE RIDGE MASONS NAME OFFICIAL STAFF.

Blue Ridge Masonic Lodge has elected Clarence Bratcher Worshipful Master; M. W. Fagg, Senior Warden; J. W. Fagg, Junior Warden; George Tree, Treasurer; G. D. Pounds, Tiler; John Bratcher, Secretary.

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BUSINESS AT THE TEMPLE OF JUSTICE

DISTRICT COURT NEWS.
Hon. Tom Suggs, Judge.
Jim C. Cantrell, Clerk.
Mrs. Scott Abernathy, Deputy.
Roland W. Boyd, County Attorney.
Dwight Whitwell, Assistant.
Miss Jessie Craft, Assistant.

New Suits.
Leona Coats vs. Wallace Coats, divorce.
Virdie Pilgrim vs. Earl Pilgrim, divorce.
George L. Craighead vs. Roy Craighead, partition.

COUNTY COURT NEWS.
W. C. Hagy, Clerk.
Clyde Cunningham, Chief Deputy.

Probate.
F. C. Harrington has made application to probate will of Walter M. Barnes, deceased.

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Marriage License.
Joe Hickman Perkins and Virginia Aday.
O. J. Self and Margaret Smith.
Coy Smith and Ruth R. Self.
Martin Tuley and Bernice Whitfield.
L. A. Love and Billie Ruth Pilgrim.
Robert Lee Oats and Frances Lenora Miller.

JUSTICE COURT
Hon. Clyde Doyle, J. P.
W. A. (Will) Kerby, Constable.
Floyd Williams, Deputy.

The constable's department has made the following arrests during the past week:
One for forgery.

SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT
W. E. Button, Sheriff.
Dan Rike.
Roy Hays.
A. G. Sparlin.
Enel Ford.
Deputies.

The sheriff's department has made the following arrests during the past week:

The city, sheriff and constable together conducted three liquor raids; arrested eight parties for gaming: five for drunkenness.

The city and sheriff together arrested eight for burglary and four for false swearing.

The city police arrested a party for driving while intoxicated.

Correct Tire Inflation Will Conserve Gasoline

Local Dealer Urges Care And Inspection Of Tires Plus Moderate Speeds.

What has tire inflation to do with increased gasoline consumption?

This is an important consideration today with thought turning nationally to ways and means of making the gasoline supply go farthest as an aid in defense planning.

Tire engineers, according to Clyde Horn, with Horn & White, local Goodyear dealer, have over a period of years made extensive tests and comparisons, finding that a slight reduction in air content of tires increases gasoline consumption.

"On the 6.00-16 size, popular on a large group of cars in current use," said Mr. Horn, "28 pounds of air is normal pressure, but reduced to 24 pounds, or say roughly, reduced 14 per cent, will increase the car owner's gasoline consumption two-and-one-half per cent. That is, if the highways over which he travels are smooth, but if they're rough, he will get even less miles per gallon.

"That is a good reason for watching tire inflations—seeing that they are up to recommended figures, so that the owner will get the ultimate safe mile possible from each tire," he continued.

"There are other things that the car owner will want to check more carefully, in adition to pressures. First, alignment of wheels, so that slow even wear of casings will result; frequent inspection of tires to be sure that nails and glass embedded there are removed and finally, that his driving generally be improved. By that I mean the car owner should avoid quick getaways from stoplights, should not slam on the brakes, should keep his speeds down to a reasonable minimum. Thus he will not only get more mileage frof his gasoline, but will really add miles to his tires' service.

"And one more point," concluded Mr. Horn, "right now is an especially good time to replace worn tires. We are conducting a tire sale from now to July 5; offering real savings on Goodyears tires to the car owners of Collin County.

Mrs. Lloyd T. Garrett, of 203 Elm Street, McKinney, was taken to the McKinney City Hospital Friday evening for treatment.

Work of laying a new cement pavement in front of the brick building on North Tennessee Street owned by Mr. and Mrs. Pat Ellers, was begun Wednesday morning. The pavement is being built by Isham Younger, ... Contractor.

VINEY GROVE NO. 2
By Mrs. Henry Thomas

Mrs. Alfred Clifton and baby visited Mrs. Lee Noes recently.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Moudy visited at Stiff Chapel.

Howard Huland and wife of Mt. Olive visited here recently.

John William Eastham and wife visited in McKinney.

Weldon May of near Culleoka visited his sister.

Alfred Clifton, wife and baby visited in Tishimingo, Okla.

Misses Vonia and Mary Paine visited in McKinney.

Miss Mildred Paine has had measles.

Mathew Love and wife and daughter of Higgins visited his sister.

Miss June May of Culleoka is visiting her sister, Mrs. Fred Thomas.

Henry Morrison and family of Culleoka is visiting her sister, Mrs Fred Thomas.

Thurman Bailes of McKinney and children visiting Mrs. Birdie Atkins.

Grover McCullough of near Farmersville visited his daughter.

Henry Morrison and family of Culleoka, Sam Eastham and family all visited Mrs. N. H. Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Keller, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Pruitt and Misses Izeleve visited at Parker Saturday night.

We regret to hear of the death of Mrs Jack Ray at Altoga. She formerly made her home in this community for several years.

Word has been received of the marriage of Oncus Self of Wylie to Miss Smith. Mr. Self formerly lived in this community and we wish much happiness for him and his bride.

Encampment Of Girls Auxiliary Comes To Close

The annual encampment of the Girls' Auxiliary of the Baptist Churches of Collin County, sponsored by the Women's Missionary Union of the county and held in the North Baptist Church in McKinney Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, was such a success, that Mrs. Elmo Cloyd, Union President, announced that it will be held again next year and they hoped next time the rain would not prevent them from holding it outdoors.

On the last night of the camp eighty-nine girls of the Junior and Intermediate classes spent the night on cots in the church following a busy day of religious services, Bible studies and recreational features. That was Wednesday night. On Thursday morning there were more classes and services and a few able addresses by prominent Baptist women and two periods of recreational exercises conducted by Mrs. J. T. Bolding of Nevada.

An interesting feature of the meeting was a "talent discovery" program, in which each one was given an opportunity to show her talents in singing, dancing and recitation. Mrs. W. R. Taylor of Allen directed this part of the program Wednesday night.

Following an impressive address by Mrs. Earl Allen of Dallas on the subject, "Friend Jesus," five children were converted and four others promised to enter Missionary service later in life.

Rev. Matthew Mueller of Farmersville and Mrs. Raymond Smoot of Paris, District Secretary of the W. M. U., were others to deliver interesting addresses to the children, as also was Mrs. Tuck Jones of Celina.

The Junior and Intermediate Departments of the Girls' Auxiliary attended the three-day encampment and sometimes during each day more than 100 were present.

Officers of the County Baptist Women's Missionary Union are: Mrs. Elmo Cloyd, President; Mrs. W. S. Commons, Corresponding Secretary and Treasurer; Mrs. John Green, Young Peoples' Leader, all of McKinney, and Mrs. L. Goeman of Allen, Recording Secretary.

Following the speaking and recreational exercises Thursday morning, luncheon was served at noon and the encampment came to a close about 2 o'clock.

Mrs. W. B. Hansel of Dallas is visiting in the home of her brother, J. Ollie Smith and Mrs. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Kimbriel, Mr. and Mrs. James Kimbriel, visited relatives in Navada Monday.

Doyle Poston, 302 Moore Street, was taken to the McKinney City Hospital Thursday afternoon for treatment.

Mrs. Tom. W. Perkins, Mrs. Maxwell Perkins, Max Perkins, Jr., and Mrs. H. A. Brown attended the opera "Blossom Time" at Fair Park in Dallas Thursday night.

Mrs. J. A. Davis spent a week with her daughter, Mrs. Margaret Davis and family in Houston. Her grandson, A. L. Davis, came home with her to spend a month with his grandparents, in McKinney.

Gas Company Is Laying Pipe Line

The Community Natural Gas Company, which is constantly renewing gas pipes that have outgrown their usefulness and also is continually laying extensions to bring their service to new customers, is now laying a stretch of 1000 feet of 4-inch pipe on Tucker Street West from Oak to Waddill.

Mrs. J. H. Doyle of Fort Worth, who has been spending a week with her daughter, Mrs. C. C. Harris, in McKinney, became suddenly ill Wednesday and removed to the McKinney City Hospital for treatment. Mrs. Doyle was reported resting well Thursday morning, her host of friends here will be pleased to learn.

Oklahomans Are McKinney Visitors

Mr. and Mrs J. L. Stone of Bartlesville, Okla., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Lovelady in this city. Mr. Stone and Mrs. Lovelady are sister and brother. Mr. and Mrs. Stone left McKinney in 1911. He has been with the Public Service Commission at Bartlesville for nearly twenty-five years. This is the first time they have visited McKinney in several years. They have quite a few friends here. Mr. Stone and Mr. Lovelady made this office a pleasant visit. We were glad to meet Mr. Stone again and our friend, Lee, is always a welcome visitor.

Equalization Board Of City To Begin Duties

The Equalization Board, sitting for the City, will meet Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of next week. Mayor Tom W. Perkins and Commissioners J. H. Snapp and Lyman D. Robinson compose the Board. They will meet at the City Hall those three days from 8:00 a. m. until 5:00 p. m.

Dr. Weaver Is Home From Houston Visit

Dr. Clifford S. Weaver, Pastor of the First Christian Church, has returned from Houston, where he spent a week in the home of his sister Mrs. W. P. Claypool at 2222 East Alabama Avenue.

In the absence of this Pastor, his pulpit was supplied last Sunday by Rev. Patrick Henry of Fort Worth.

Dr. Weaver expects to be in his pulpit at the regular worship hour Sunday morning at 10:45 o'clock at which time his subject will be "Have We Forgotten God?"

At the evening hour the Young People's Department, of which Prof. Henderson Malone is the Superintendent, will sponsor a meeting of welcome for James Moudy, who comes to this church, beginning Sunday, as assistant to the Pastor for the three summer months. Mr. Moudy is a student at Texas Christian University, but will spend the entire summer here as assistant to Dr. Weaver.

Personals

Mrs. E. M. Munroe of Houston is visiting in the home of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Erwin, Sr.

Mrs. G. W. Nixon has gone to Los Angeles and San Diego to visit her children for a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Walker Massie of Del Rio are guests for the coming week in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Massie.

Miss Gillie Lewis of Ennis, Mrs. Dorothy Forman of Dallas and Mrs. O. Y. Ferrell and son, Doyle of Sherman, have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Glenn B. Scott at their home here.

Miss Emma Wofford of San Antonio is visiting her sister, Mrs. Clint Thompson and family in McKinney and another sister, Mrs. S. M. Templeton in Rockwall.

James Veal, 13-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Veal, who reside on West Virginia Street, is suffering from an infected foot, resulting from an accident while at play.

J. S. Hand, Deputy in the office of County Tax Assessor-Collector, who has been spending his vacation with relatives in Amarillo, will return home Sunday.

Mrs. Cliff Emerson, 311 North Church Street, is undergoing treatment at the McKinney City Hospital. She is reported much improved Friday, her many friends will be pleased to learn.

Mrs. Jess R. May was brought here from Farmersville Friday afternoon and operated on that evening at the McKinney City Hospital. She was reported much improved Saturday morning.

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G. C. DAVIS
—of the Davis School of Music, Dallas, has opened a branch of the school in connection with McKinney school system at the Junior High School.
Classes in Violin on Mondays and Thursdays.
For Information Phone 527.

Personals

Chester Boyd of Blue Ridge was a business visitor in McKinney.

Mrs. Roy Bradley was taken to her home at Celina Wednesday afternoon after undergoing an operation at the McKinney City Hospital.

The parking meters contracted for by the City Commission have arrived and are being installed. It will be several days before the meters will be ready for use.

Among residents of the Blue Ridge community having property improvements made are John Vanbevers, Claud Press, Clifford Kemp and Ludd Dunn.

Mrs. Nathaniel B. Commons, of Route 5, McKinney, was brought to the McKinney City Hospital Wednesday evening for treatment.

James Merritt, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Merritt, has returned from Boston, Mass., where he has been studying in the business school of Harvard University.

Miss Lavonia Holland, of Dallas, student nurse in Parkland Hospital, spent a few days as guest of Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Boorman and Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Holland in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph E. Curtsinger, who live on route 1, Celina, are the proud parents of a fine boy, born at the McKinney City Hospital at 3:40 o'clock Thursday morning. Both Mother and baby are reported doing well.

Sandy Crews, a well-known Collin County citizen, whose father, Jack Crews, was first manager of McKinney's waterworks system more than 40 years ago, spent the day in McKinney and was greeted by many of his old friends.

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Mrs. Clifton Dowell and sons, Clifton, Jr., James and Ed, are visiting relatives in Houston.

J. W. Franklin is having a new garage built in the rear of his home, 207 South Tennessee Street.

Miss Ruth Ray, bookkeeper for the Ray & Roberts Insurance Company, will leave Sunday for Houston where she will spend her vacation.

Albert Ballard was taken to his home at Van Alstyne Thursday evening after being operated on at the McKinney City Hospital.

Mrs. Jesse Atkinson, who had been under treatment at the McKinney City Hospital, was taken to her home on Tucker Street Thursday afternoon.

YOUR HOME TOWN

ROY L. BROCKMAN.

WE WANT TO TAKE TIME briefly in our Monday column to say "Congratulations" to our good friend, Roy L. Brockman, Manager of the Ritz, Texas, and the State Theaters, who Tuesday, June 17, will round out twenty-five years in the picture show businesses in McKinney. Friend Roy is a real, all-around fellow, who has a host of friends due to his affability and genial good nature, and he is deserving of the success that has been his in the entertainment field. He is a native of Collin County, and a splendid example of a native son who has made good. There will be special stories, advertisements and other interesting facts about the early-day, and present-day theater history in McKinney in the Daily Courier-Gazette Tuesday, June 17, and you are urged to be on the lookout for them.

HOME TOWN.

TO APPRECIATE McKINNEY you have only to drive about the city and observe the beautiful and lovely homes, attractive churches, substantial schools and many other structures, all of which speak for the faith of the builders in their home city. Scores of new homes are going up or else have been built recently. A city-wide improvement program was completed only a year or so ago, while all of McKinney's Churches are splendid structures, attesting to the pride congregations have in their church. McKinney boasts a fine, high class type of citizenship that makes for the successful growth of a city. To tell the truth, we don't believe you can find a finer city anywhere in which to make your home. We feel oftentimes that many of us don't appreciate to the fullest the many advantages and conveniences of living in McKinney.

P. L. MILLER.

WRITING ABOUT P. L. Miller, of Farmersville, T. A. Price, of the Dallas News, says:

Again this year the lowly onion has turned to gold on the shipping platforms of Collin County, and Farmersville is radiating prosperity. With No. 1 white Bermudas bringing more than $2 and the new Babosa variety at an even higher price, refrigerator cars are rolling out with $1,200 loads and in ever-lengthening trains. King of the onion harvest is Pinkney L. Miller, one of the men who pioneered the Collin County onion deal seventeen years ago. He since has pioneered the growing of Bermuda onion seed in Texas and has branched out as a grower of plants both here and in the Winter Garden area of South Texas. Brought to Farmersville fifty-one years ago when he was only 7 years old. Mr. Miller started his business career as a dealer in pianos and organs and had placed those instruments in so many of the homes of Farmersville that he became known as the Organ Man throughout this section of the state before he switched to the onion business. He tells of the early days when a record movement was thirty-eight cars a season. Last year Farmersville alone shipped 200 cars and he handled 500 cars in all.

LEONARD RAY.

AS OUR READERS ARE aware, Leonard Ray, with his wife, Mother and daughter, recently returned home from attending the Southwestern Life Insurance Agents' Convention, as well as a two weeks' trip through South Texas and Old Mexico. Leonard, who never forgets a friend, brought us an appreciated pencil for our collection. It is shaped like a bottle and is a souvenir of San Antonio, Texas. It is the only pencil of its kind in our collection and we told Friend Leonard personally how greatly we appreciated his gift. But we want to publicly thank him for this valuable addition to our collection. It is attracting much attention from all those who have seen it.

W. H. COFFMAN.

WHILE ON A VISIT TO several Southern States, our good friend, W. H. Coffman, McKinney florist, wife and two sons, obtained a pencil for our collection, with the wording, "[illegible], Miss." Mr. Coffman and family usually spend a week or two each summer on a summer's vacation, and each time they look around for some pencils for our hobby. We appreciate the pencil, which is a valuable addition to our collection, but we appreciate even more their thinking of us. You know, when a person is off on a vacation, seeing new scenes and usually "on the go" several hours each day, their mind is so taken up with other things that we don't see how they ever find time to think about another's hobby. But, knowing Mr. Coffman and family, one recognizes unusual people, in that they are always thinking of others. We are glad to make grateful acknowledgment of their appreciated gift.

Tom Wilson has returned from a visit in Houston and San Antonio.

Governor W. Lee O'Daniel Will Speak Thursday

Governor W. Lee O'Daniel will be here in person Thursday afternoon and will address the voters of Collin County at 1 o'clock that afternoon on the Court house square, in behalf of his candidacy for the United States Senate to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Morris Sheppard.

The Governor will be accompanied by his three children, Pat Mike and Molly, and by his hillbilly band. A large crowd is expected to hear him.

The Governor's speaking engagements for Thursday will include Gainesville at 9:30 a. m.; Denton at 10:30; McKinney at 1:00 p. m. and Greenville at 2:30 p. m.

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National Defense Meeting To Be Held Tuesday

Wm. A. Wilson, Manager of District 4 ,of the East Texas Chamber of Commerce, in a letter to Secretary W. Hammond Moore of the McKinney Senior Chamber of Commerce ,says he will be at the local Chamber of Commerce rooms Tuesday morning, June 24, at 10 o'clock to meet with C. of C. Directors, County Judge H. H. Neilson, Mayor Tom W. Perkins, minister and a representative of the women's civic organiation in a one hour's meeting.

Purpose of his coming here, he says, is to discuss setting up a County Defense Council, and to outline immediate activity.

"There are 254 Counties of Texas organizing now and Washington urges this action," he writes. "The 71 counties of East Texas expects to lead in this move."

Pointing to the seriousness of the war and America's proximity to that conflict, he says," We must answer the patriotic call now before it is too late. A program of immediate activity for the County Defense Council will be outlined at the meeting."

Secretary Moore says the meeting is county-wide in scope and that he is inviting other communities to attend the meeting.

Great interest is centering in the launching of this region-wide effort to mobilize all citizens for national defense activities through county councils for defense, in which the East Texas Chamber is taking a lead, by authority of the Executive Committee and the Regional National Defense Committee.

Mr. Wilson declares that certinly this national emergency overshadows any and all other projects commercial or civic and says there is need now for coordination and centralization of these activities. He says that East Texas National Defense Day is Tuesday, July 22 and urges local cooperation in making this day a great rallying point for community mass meetings through the 72-county East Texas Region, to arouse the people to the seriousness of this 'crisis and to support the President. The staff, says Mr. Wilson, is making National Defense their paramount project and will appreciate cooperation of every citizen.

The three Regional Chambers of Texas, are working together in an effort to place Chamber of Commerce machinery in a position of leadership in Texas on National Defense, says Hubert M. Harrison, Vice President and General Manager of the East Texas Chamber.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Kirkpatrick, Mrs. Fannie Mitchell, and Mrs. Edith Keller, left Thursday for a two weeks' motor trip to Mexico City.

Machinery Is Being Set In Motion For Holding Special Election On June 28 To Elect U. S. Senator

More Than 150 Election Judges And Assistants, Who Will Serve In County's Forty-Seven Precincts, Are Made Known By Officials.

With the special election nine days off and with so many prominent candidates in the race for the important office of United States Senator, so long held by the able late Senior Senator Morris Sheppard, more than usual interest is being shown in McKinney and Collin County, and in other sections of Texas. A large vote is anticipated.

The campaign for United States Senate has been a warm one ever since it started a short time after Senator Sheppard's death and as the time grows near there is considerable activity on the part of all the candidates and their supporters.

In Collin County, there are more than 150 election judges and assistants who will serve in 47 Precincts, the same number as would serve at a general election.

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The following election judges for the various voting boxes in Collin County have been appointed and have qualified as judges by the County Commissioners Court for the next two years. They were appoited on February 10, 1941. The judge of election will serve in each precinct in the Special Senatorial election June 28 and in most cases one or more of these appointees will serve with them. The judges follow:

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Precinct 1, Northwest McKinney.
Nat Talkington, Presiding Judge.
F. O. Board.
Wallace C. Wilson.
U. A. Saunders.

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Precinct 2, Southwest McKinney.
J. E. Gibson, Presiding Judge.
Yancey Powell.
J. A. Duncan.
John McNeil.

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Precinct 3, Southeast McKinney.
Luther Truett, Jr., Presiding Judge.
J. W. Franklin.
Oliver Hart.
Mrs. J. Woot Mallow.

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Precinct 4, Northeast McKinney.
J. R. Travillion, Presiding Judge.
Don W. Bagwill.
Leonard Searcy.
E. O. Ragsdalee.

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Precinct 5, Allen.
John Day, Presiding Judge.
Doyle Stacy.
L. C. Summers.

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Precinct 6, Lucas.
J. L. Graham, Presiding Judge.
Frank Goforth.

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Precinct 7, Clear Lake.
Will Russell, Presiding Judge.
Louis Hankey.

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Precinct 8, Culleoka.
W. H. Snavely, Presiding Judge.
Mrs. Haldie Pruett.

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Precinct 9, Princeton.
J. W. Chappel, Presiding Judge.
J. W. Neal.
Walter B. Gantt.
John K. Wilson.

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Precinct 10, Altoga.
J. F. Ray, Presiding Judge.
John Watkins.

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Precinct 11, North Farmersville.
W. G. Grayson, Presiding Judge.
Ray Hess.
Mrs. Roy Phillips.
J. J. Frazier.

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Precinct 12, South Farmersville.
Joe Aston, Jr., Presiding Judge.
Walter Carver.
Sam T. Coleman.

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Precinct 13, Climax.
Jim Whitwell, Presiding Judge.
Lee Compton.

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Precinct 14, Verona.
W. B. Samples, Presiding Judge.
C. A. Stroup.

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Precinct 15, Snow Hill.
Joe Shinn, Presiding Judge.
D. B. McCall.

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Precinct 16, Melissa.
J. W. Berry, Presiding Judge.
Mallow Graves.
J. L. Gibson.
J. H. Mallow.

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Precinct 17, Anna.
Bob Rosemond, Presiding Judge.
W. L. Trice.
O. O. Lair.
Clay Riggins.

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Precinct 18, Westminster.
W. A. McDougal, Presiding Judge.
Andy Johnson.

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Precinct 19, Valdasta.
Jerry Cantrell, Presiding Judge.
George McGuffey.

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Precinct 20, Weston.
John Mugg, Presiding Judge.
Lee Howell.
C. C. Carruth.
T. C. Brimer.

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Precinct 21, Roland.
R. O. Cox, Presiding Judge.
M. K. Drury.

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Precinct 22, North Celina.
J. T. Robinson, Presiding Judge.
R. G. Martin.
T. M. Odell.
Paul O'Brien.

Precinct 23, West Plano.
Bert B. Carpenter, Presiding Judge.
Jack Harrington.
W. J. Robbins.
Grady Cothes.

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Precinct 24, Renner.
J. W. Dooley, Presiding Judge.
Clay Wells.

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Precinct 25, Murphy.
Tom Moulden, Presiding Judge.
Oscar Daniels.

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Precinct 16, Dump.
H. C. Parr, Presiding Judge.
W. M. Bellmyer.

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Precinct 27, Wylie.
John H. Calloway, Presiding Judge.
T. E. Willis.
R. L. Gallagher.
J. A. Wilson.

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Precinct 28, Rhea's Mill.
N. W. Thompson, Presiding Judge.
C. H. Ragsdale.

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Precinct 29, Prosper.
H. C. Greenwood, Presiding Judge.
W. M. Atkins.
Ed Crockett.
Mrs. Henry Barlow.

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Precinct 30, Frisco.
Kelly Hill, Presiding Judge.
Sam Lane.
Carroll Montgomery.
Marsh Mallow.

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Precinct 31, Lebanon.
C. L. Bishop, Presiding Judge.
E. M. Rasor.
Kirby Wade.

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Precinct 32, Millwood.
C. C. Coker, Presiding Judge.
Henry Watkins.

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Precinct 33, Lavon.
Frank Geron, Presiding Judge.
R. A. Maxey.

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Precinct 34, Copeville.
George Hall, Presiding Judge.
H. C. Craft.

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Precinct 35, Nevada.
A. S. Stinebaugh, Presiding Judge.
J. F. Ricks.
Elmo J. Mayo.

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Precinct 36, Josephine.
Edd Yeatts, Presiding Judge.
Lee Aven.

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Precinct 37, Blue Ridge.
W. R. Lucas, Presiding Judge.
H. B. Mize.
Paul Copeland.
Watson Davis.

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Precinct 38, Desert.
Wallace Carraway, Presiding Judge.
Grady Young.

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Precinct 39, Pike.
J. E. Huckabee, Presiding Judge.
J. W. Brock.

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Precinct 40, Cedar.
D. C. Aycock, Presiding Judge.
Adam Shinn.

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Precinct 41, Parker.
Gano Wilson, Presiding Judge.
S. K. Brooks.

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Precinct 42, North Royse.
Bedford L. Harris, Presiding Judge.
R. S. Douglas.

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Precinct 43, Forest Grove.
Fred Petway, Presiding Judge.
J. G. Martin.

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Precinct, 44, North McKinney.
J. W. Purcell, Presiding Judge.
Jesse Bone.
Obe McCollum.
I. R. Dillow.

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Precinct 45, South McKinney.
Robert McMill, Presiding Judge.
Gabe Kerby.

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Precinct 46, South Celina.
J. B. Winn, Presiding Judge.
Lee Owensby.
Charlie Smith.
Jim Glendenning.

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Precinct 47, East Plano.
G. M. Rice, Presiding Judge.
Billie Harrington.
A. A. Goodson.
Lively A. Hugley.

Another new road project for Collin County has been approved by the WPA. An appropriation of $27,742.00 is provided for reconstruction of the highway from Honey Creek to Chambersville, Northwest of McKinney. The County is to supply $12,575 and 112 men will be employed on the project.

Ferguson Backs O'Daniel For Post

Former Gov. James E. Ferguson, the veteran of many Texas political battle, Wednesday announced his support of Gov. Lee O'Daniel for the United States Senate and a declaration that he will win. Ferguson also said a vote for O'Daniel for the Senate is a vote for Lieut. Gov. Coke Stevenson for Governor and that the latter's friends should throw in for O'Daniel.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Duvall are enjoying a motor trip through the Southern States.

ANNA
By Mrs. W. P. Lewis

Regular preaching at the Methodist church Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Martin visited in Dallas Friday.

Jerry James visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ray at Altoga.

Jack Lair was a business visitor at Dallas.

Bobby Ogilvie and George Windom visited in Sherman.

Mrs. Wallace Hanks was a McKinney visitor.

Don Davis of McKinney was a business visitor here.

Mr. and Mrs. John Slaughter visited in Van Alstyne.

Bobby Merrell was a Dallas visitor.

Billy Reaves who has been ill, is improving.

Mrs. R. E. McHone of Fort Worth is visiting her daughter Mrs. Wallace Hanks.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Edwards Jr., and children of Houston visited friends here.

Mrs. Fannie Moore, Mrs. Sam Hagin and Clay Riggins were McKinney vsitors.

Prof. and Mrs. W. L. Roper visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Roper at Wichita Falls

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Roper of Paris visited J. D. Mote and wife.

Lou Roberts and wife of McKinney visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Crabtree.

Sam Hagin and Bill Stone, the latter of Frisco visited at Bridgeport.

Miss Betty Sue McCollum of Van Alstyne visited her grandmother, Mrs. Lillie McCollum.

Mrs. Ed Compton and Miss Pauline Ashmore of McKinney visited here.

Mr. and Mrs. Normand Cadenhead of Dallas visited Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Cadenhead.

Louie Knox and wife of McKinney visited her mother Mrs. R. T. Shelton.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Parr and Miss Jewel Giles visited in McKinney.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Frank and Mr. and Mrs. Sid Turner visited at Lake Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Robelle Cox and children of Dallas visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cox.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ray of Dallas visited Mrs. Ora Daniel and Mrs. Jewel Phillips.

Mrs. Clyde Todd and Miss Johnnye Mae Hester visited in Sherman.

Mrs. Pat Estep and daughter Zoe Ann visited Miss Connie Estep in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Johnson and children, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bryant and children of Dallas visited Mrs. J. Wes Hendricks.

Norman Saunders, Pat Estep, Bill and Bob Estep and Weldon Lewis went fishing at Lake Coffee, Mill near Honey Grove.

Mr. and Mrs. Durward Herring of Shreveport visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Strother.

Alva James has gone to the Veterans hospital at Dallas for treatment. His family visited him Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde West and son have returned to their home at Big Springs after visiting her sister, Mrs. Myrt Giles.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Brinlee of Princeton spent the week-end with A. G. Brinlee and wife and Ben Johnson and wife.

Misses Mojena Kelly, Margie Estep, Betty Jo Slaughter and Dorothy Jane Estep visited in McKinney.

Miss Oleta Strother has returned from Brownwood to visit her parents Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Strother.

Mrs. T. J. Griffin has returned to her home at Paris after a visit with her daughter Mrs. C. A. Reaves.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Davis of Celina, and Miss Gwendolyn Hendricks of McKinney visited Miss Nell Powell.

Mr. and Mrs C. F. Hendricks and daughter Nancy Gayle and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bryant and daughter Luida Kay visited in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Storther of Whitesboro and daughter-in-law Mrs. Laverne Strother and children of Blackwell, Okla., visited Mr. and Mrs. Clay Riggins and Mrs. Fannie Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cantrell of McKinney are on their annual vacation, attending the Rotary convention at Denver, Colo. Mrs. Cantrell is bookkeeper at the First National bank.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Giles, Mrs. J. C. Nixon, Mrs. J. E. Morgan Jr., and Miss Jewel Giles attended a shower at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Littlejohn at Woodlawn Thursday honoring Miss Bonnie Webb, who is to be married June 22.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Payl Majors and children of Melissa; Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Clinton and Mr. and Mrs. Dale Smith and children of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Atkins of Houston, Mrs. Cora Buck of [illegible].

First Collin County Nurse To Report To Medical Corps In The U. S. Army

Miss Nida Ione Aston, Daughter Of J. B. Aston, Called Into Service With The Medical Corps Of U. S. Army; Has Been In San Francisco, California, At City And County Of San Francisco Hospital.

Miss Nida Ione Aston, Registered Nurse of McKinney and daughter of J. B. Aston, well-known blacksmith of this city, is reported to be the first nurse on Reserve with the American National Red Cross to be called into service by the Medical Corps of the United States Army from Collin County.

Miss Aston has been in San Francisco, Calif., since June 1, at the City and County of San Francisco Hospital, under the Department of Public Health, where she is taking a six weeks' course in communicable diseases.

Miss Aston is due to report to the Hearquarters of the Eighth Corps Area, office of the Surgeon, at Fort Sam Houston, San Antonio, for active duty as a First Lieutenant in the Medical Corps, August 1, 1941, where, due to her rank by choice, she will receive her assignment to active duty. She is a member of the American National Red Cross Nursing Service, the American Nurses' Association, the Illinois State Nurses' Association and also the Tenth District Association of Illinois, and the St. Mary's Nurses' Alumni Association.

At completion of her medical course at the City and County of San Francisco Hospital, she will visit friends in Spokane, Washington, Salt Lake City, Utah and St. Louis, Mo., before returning home for a brief visit with her family before reporting to Fort Sam Houston for her assignment in the Medical Corps.

R. H. (Houston) Foster, 61 Fonnerly Of McKinney, Prominent Attorney And Oil Executive Of Fort Worth, Dies Today

His Death Occurs At Mayo Bros. In Rochester, Minn., Early Thursday; Body Will Be Brought Back To Fort Worth Friday, When Funeral Arrangements Will Be Completed; Relatives Live In McKinney And Collin County.

The many friends of the family were grieved to learn of the death early Thursday morning of R. H. (Houston) Foster, 61 years old, formerly of McKinney, but for years a prominent attorney and oil executive of Fort Worth, which occurrel at the Mayo Bros. Clinic at Rochester, Minn. Mr. Foster had been in poor health for two years. He had undergone an operation at Mayo Bros. Clinic some time ago and had returned the second time for treatment, his wife and daughter accompanying him.

The body will be brought back to Fort Worth Friday and funeral arrangements will be completed then, according to information received here by A. M. Scott, Sr., and Tom M. Scott, first cousins of Mr. Foster's wife, who was formerly Miss Bessie Coffman of Melissa, Collin County.

Mr. Foster was born and reared in McKinney and after completing his school education here, went to the old Texas Christian University, which was then located at Waco.

Later he completed a law course at the University of Texas in 1906 and the same year began the practice of law at Brownwood. A few years later he became a member of the law firm of McCartney, Foster & McGee with offices in Brownwood and Breckenridge. He moved to Fort Worth in 1925, and with his former partner, Mark McGee, formed the law firm of Samuels, Foster, Brown and McGee.

He remained with this firm until January 1, 1939, when he withdrow to devote his entire time to the Landreth Production Corporation, a large Fort Worth oil concern, of which he was then Executive Vice President, and which office he held at the time of his death. He had served as a director and legal counsel for the company for several years before that.

Mr. Foster was an active worker in and supporter of the First Christian Church of Fort Worth and a Trustee of the Texas Christian University. He was also Past Potentate of Mosiah Temple of the Order of Mystic Shrine of Fort Worth.

At the time Mr. Foster attended T. C. U. when it was located in Waco, he and A. M. Scott, Sr., who later became his cousin by marriage, were roommates.

Mr. Scott married Miss Bessie Coffman of Melissa in McKinney and then moved to Brownwood. He is survived by his widow and one daughter, Mrs. Joe Tennant, of Houston. Mrs. Tennant and her husband and Mrs. Houston Foster were at the bedside of Mr. Foster when death came Thursday.

16 Absentee Votes Cast In Special Senate Election

Probably due to the fact that the farmers of Collin County are taking advantage of fair weather conditions to take care of delayed work in the fields, but whatever the cause, very few Collin County voters are casting absentee ballots in the June 28 election, as shown by the number of absentee ballots filed so far with County Clerk W. C. Hagy.

Up to Wednesday night, he had received only sixteen absentee votes from persons who will be away from home June 28. Mr. Hagy explained that all such votes must be received not later than Tuesday, June 24. Voters who are out of the county may mail their ballots to the County Clerk. Mr. Hagy explained that in such cases the ballots are to be filled out and sealed in an envelope and the voter must attach to it an affidavit signed by a Notary Public.

Persons who remain in the county are not permitted to mail their ballots, he said.

The County Clerk will mail all the absentee ballots he receives up to June 24 to the various Precinct Judges on June 25, just three days before the election. They will be counted by Judges election day.

Glenn Massie Appointment Is Confirmed

Confirmation of the appointment of Glenn W. Massie of McKinney as a member of the State Board of Embalming for the next six years, ending April 13, 1947, was announced from Austin Thursday. The appointment had been made by Governor W. Lee O'Daniel several days ago and was confirmed by the State Senate Wednesday afternoon. Mr. Massie was born and reared in McKinney. He has long been a member of the Massie Funeral Home here and is active in religious and civic affairs of the city and community. He is receiving the congratulations of his host of friends on his appointment and confirmation to that State post of duty.

John F. Lowery, a highway patrolman of Houston, is spending this week attending the bedside of his uncle, J. R. Travillion, who has been quite ill. Mr. Travillion continues about the same Friday.

RITZ

Friday and Saturday—
"THE FLAME OF NEW ORLEANS"
Marlene Dietrich and Bruce Cabot

Saturday Midnight—
"LONE WOLF TAKES A CHANCE"
Warren William and June Story

Sunday, Monday and Tuesday—
"THE GREAT AMERICAN BROADCAST"
Alice Faye, Jack Oakie and John Payne

Wednesday and Thursday—
"THERE'S MAGIC IN MUSIC"
Allen Jones and Susannah Foster

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Friday and Saturday—
Hopalong Cassidy in
"DOOMED CARAVAN"

Chapter 5—
"Junior G-Men"

Sat. Midnight, Sun. and Mon.—
Thomas Mitchell and Jeffry Lynn in
"FLIGHT FROM DESTINY"

Tuesday and Wednesday—
Virginia Weidler and Marsha Hunt in
I'LL WAIT FOR YOU"

Thursday—
Cesar Romero and Mary Beth Hughes in
"RIDE ON VAQUERO"

Cemetery Notice

The annual meeting of the lot owners of McKinney Pecan Grove Cemetery Association will be held Thursday, June 26th, 5:00 to 7:00 p. m. for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors. This meeting will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Fitzgerald. All lot owners are urged to attend.

Mrs. Frank W. Smith and Mrs. Maxwell F. Perkins visited in Dallas Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Massie and Miss Nancy Jane Massie have returned from Del Rio where they attended the wedding of their son, Glenn Walker Massie, and Miss Mary Elizabeth McChesney.

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COMPLETES QUARTER CENTURY IN THEATER BUSINESS

Full Payments Will Be Made In June To Old Age Assistance Recipients

Provided Federal Funds Are Obtained For Matching State Funds, The $9.00 Cut Of June Checks Will Be Avoided; Checks Will Be Late This Month, Assert Officials.

Provided Federal funds are obtained for matching State funds, the $9.00 cut of June checks, as announced by the State Department of Public Welfare, will be avoided. The Legislature took final action Thursday, June 12, to provide additional State money to avoid the $9.00 cut. The law was signed by the Governor on the day it was passed.

If Federal funds are obtained to match the additional State money made available, checks for June averaging $18.50 per person will be sent to 139,307 recipients. The average of $18.50 is the highest since the program was started in 1936.

Officials of the State Department of Public Welfare were hastily obtaining certified copies of the amended law and other necessary documents Friday as part of the procedure, for obtaining Federal money. J. B. Murchison, Executive Director of the State Department explained that "we have been in contact with the officials of the Social Security Board and they are helping in every possible way to speed up our request for funds. The Regional Office at San Antonio is today reviewing the material submitted, and we expect it to be in Washington Monday morning. However, it takes time to get final approval on such matters and for the United States Treasury to get a check back to Texas. The checks to the old age recipients will have to be held up until we can get the money, but when the checks are released, they will be for full amounts if we get the Federal matching we are asking for."

Ordinarily, old-age assistance checks are mailed about the 15th of each month. The June checks will have to be held until additional Federal money is received. The State Department officials expressed the opinion that checks for June would be at least a week late and that checks will not be delayed any longer than is necessary to receive the additional Federal funds.

First Show Offered By Roy L. Brockman 25 Years Ago Was "The Cheat"

Starring Fannie Ward And Other Noted Stars Of Quarter Of A Century Ago; Queen Theater Was Modern, With New Cooling System And Other Modern Conveniences.

From the files of these papers, the issue of June 15, 1916, carried the first advertisement of Roy L. Brockman's theater, then known as the Queen Theater, which he and his brother opened June 17, 1916. The announcement follows:

"The New Queen Theater, formerly known as the Feature, opens Saturday, June 17, at 1:30 p. m.

"Owned and Operated by Brockman Bros.

"A new cooling system has been installed, the theater thoroughly overhauled and put into first class condition. We promise the people a cool, sanitary place and the highest class of entertainment at the popular price of 5 and 10 cents. Don't fail to see our opening program. We will show the celebrated Paramount pictures, the world's best.

"Jesse L. Lasky presents the internationally famous star, Fannie Ward, in "The Cheat." By Hector Turnbull, produced by Cecil B. DeMille. Cast of characters: Edith Hardy, Fannie Ward. Lari, Sussue Hayakawa, Dick Hardy, Jack Dean, Jones, James Neill.

"Synopsis—Famed for her talents and a comedienne, Miss Fannie Ward will make her second appearance as a Paramount star in a production by the Jesse Lasky Feature Play Co., entitled "The Cheat." Her first photoplay was "The Marriage of Kitty," which has been universally popular.

"The Cheat" is a modern drama offering Miss Ward splendid opportunities not only for comedy, but also for drama. The play is by Hector Turnbull and was personally produced by Cecil B. De Mille. Prominent in support of the star are Jack Dean, Susie Hayakawa and James McNeill.

"Miss Ward appears as Edith Hardy, whose husband is a hard-working man of extensive business affairs. She is interested in charity movements and is ambitious socially. Also she is vain on the subject of clothes. Through her position as President of the charity fund, she has many thousands of dollars in her keeping. Tempted to speculate in stocks in order to satisfy her desires for wealth, she takes the fund money. Exposure faces her when she seeks the aid of a neighbor, a wealthy Japanese, who tries to make a bargain in return for the loan. She is successful and happy working out of the complex and thrilling situation. The play furnishes thoroughly exciting entertainment."

Local Golfers Defeat Durant, Oklahoma, Team

Golfers of the McKinney Country Club defeated players of the Durant Country Club by almost two to one in a match play that went sixteen holes Sunday on the local course.

Jack Warden, President of the Local Club and Billl Bass, Chairman of the Greens and Tournament Committee, carried off the low score of the day, shooting the sixteen holes four under par.

There were ten foursomes and the final score by points was McKinney, 19 1-2; Durant, 10 1-2.

The foursomes and their scores with the McKinney players listed first, were:

Jack Warden and Bill Bass, 3.
Malone and Story, 0.

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W. Comegys and Max Perkins, 2.
Hall and Shaw, 1.

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Gene Robertson and Dr. Erwan, 1.
Erwin and Armstrong, 2.

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Hope and Riggs 12 1-2.
Davis and McNutt, 1-2.

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G. Bates and M. Collins, 0.
Salmon and Marshall, 3.

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T. Lucas and K. Talkington, 0.
Miller and Abbott, 3.

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J. W. McKinney and A. H. Eubanks, 3.
Carter and Dickey, 0.

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A. M. Scott, Jr., and Hankins, 3.
Holmes and Bass, 0.

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Tom Hughston and Bill Finney, 2.
Ridgeway and Pool, 1.

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Lovejoy Comegys and Clyde W. Clark, 3.
Betts and Hodges, 0.

Forsyth Sons Are Enjoying Visit In City

Mr. and Mrs. Mills Forsyth of Houston, G. A. Forsyth of Houston and Manson Forsyth of Tokyo, Japan are spending a day or two here with their father, J. S. (Scotty) Forsyth and wife, and meeting up with many old time friends. Mills Forsyth is owner of the Forstyth Engineering Company in Houston while G. A. is sales engineer for the Allis-Chalmers Manufacturing company at their Houston Office. Manson, who is with the American Trading Company, in Tokyo, is enroute to New York for several months' stay. The many friends of these Forsyth boys are happy to see them on their visit to their former home town.

Texas Press Association Holds Meeting

Dave M. Warren, publisher of the Panhandle Herald, was elected President of the Texas Press Association at the closing session of the sixty-second annual convention in Galveston. Jim Donahue, General Manager of the Tyler Courier-Ttimes and Telegraph, was chosen Vice-President and Daskins Wells of Wellington, Secretary-Treasurer.

Mr. Wells succeeds Sam P. Harben, who is retiring after serving in that capacity thirty-four years.

Selection of the next meeting place will be made later by the executive board. Waco, thus far, is the only city making a bid.

The Alice Echo, published by V. D Ringwald, was awarded The Dallas Morning News cup for the best all-round weekly publication. The Kerrville Mountain Sun, published by Mrs. W. A. Salter, received honorable mention. Cash prizes, offered by W. N. Beard of Fort Worth for the best-set ads, went to the Mission Times, Uvalde Leader-News, Floresville Chronicle Journal, Beeville Bee-Picayune, Taylor Times, Robstown Record and the Kerrville Mountain Sun.

As a mark of respect for retiring Secretary Harben, he was made liftetime honorary member of the Past Presidents Association. At further expression of its appreciation for his long service, the organization presented Mr. and Mrs. Harben with a set of table silver. The presentation was made by Lowry Martin of Corsicana.

Charles K. Devall, retiring President, was presented with a gold watch, Sam Holloway of Deport, a Past President, made a brief address praising the Devall administration during the last year.

The organization adopted a resolution calling for unified effort in the national defense program and urging editors and publishers to discourage carping criticism of the national administration during the present emergency.

Dr. And Mrs. H. T. Vermillion Here From Arkansas

Dr. and Mrs. H. T. Vermillion of Walnut Ridge, Ark., are visiting their many relatives and friends in Collin County. Dr. Vermillion is Pastor of the First Baptist Church at Walnut Ridge. He is a native of Collin County, being a member of the well-known House of Vermillion. For twelve years he resided in El Paso, holding Pastorates in that section of Texas. He was just going home from El Paso, where he had been under treatment in a hospital. Mrs. Vermillion was with him. Both called on this Editor. They have long been our friends.

Central Church Christ Revival Is In Progress

The revival at the Central Church of Christ is now in progress. A full house greeted Evangelist V. E. Howard on Monday night, when he delivered an excellent sermon on the subject of "Conversion." This subject will be discussed for the next two or three nights, and as soon as the weather permits, the night services will be held in the open air on the lawn just West of the church. However, persons who attend these services will find it comfortable inside the building should it be necessary to continue the services there.

Two services are being held daily, at 10:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. and the public is cordially invited to hear Mr. Howard. The church feels that all who attend will be amply repaid for the time spent.

Further announcements will be made from time to time as the revival progresses.

Voyn Fagg, teller at the Central National Bank, is off duty for two weeks on his annual vacation.

Miss Carrie Jean Davis and Don Weaver Davis have returned from Texarkana, Ark., where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Richard Carr and son, Richard, Jr., for about a week.

Mrs. Clyde Horn and baby son, born a few days ago at the McKinney City Hospital, were taken to their home on South Waddill Street Tuesday morning.

Fire Damages Vickery Home In McKinney

Fire of unknown origin destroyed the furniture and household effects and did great damage to the home of William F. Vickery at 206 Bryne Street early Tuesday morning.

The fire was discovered about 3 o'clock and members of the family had to flee in their nightclothes. The McKinney Volunteer Fire Department did some fast and heroic work, keeping the flames confined to the one building.

MAJOR DIXON (COL.) OFFERS MR. BROCKMAN HIS CONGRATULATIONS.

Of all those who are congratulating Manager Roy L. Brockman of the Ritz, Texas and the State Theaters, on completion of twenty-five years' in the theater business in McKinney, none are being offered with more meaning and enthusiasm than that offered by Major Dixon (col.) who has long worked for Mr. Brockman, "Major," as he is known by everyone, has been with Mr. Brockman since the latter's coming to McKinney. Prior to that time he was connected with local theaters for approximately five or ten years. Major is considered a permanent fixture at the Ritz and his big winsome smile readily wins him a host of friends among both the white and colored patrons.

Doyle Poston of 302 Moore Street, who was treated at the McKinney City Hospital, was removed to her home Monday.

Rounds Out 25 Years In Show Business Here

ROY L. BROCKMAN

Roy L. Brockman, Collin County native, is today rounding out a quarter of a century in the entertainment field in McKinney, having opened up the Queen Theater in McKinney June 17, 1916. He is now manager of the Ritz, Texas, and State Theaters. He is receiving the congratulations of a host of friends in this city, county and throughout North Texas on completion of a quarter of a century as a theater owner and manager in McKinney. He is one of McKinney's best-known and liked citizens, progressive and a town builder, and is regarded as one of the ablest and most alert moving picture show men in North Texas.

Army Life In Porto Rico Great, Says McKinney Boy Who's Doing Right Well

Scion Of Perkins Family In Service As Mechanic, But Music Is Helping A Lot; Alfred ("Butch") Perkins Is Well-Known In This City And County.

EDITOR'S NOTE—The following interesting story, in Sunday's Times Herald, Dallas, was written by Douglas Hawley, Member of the Herald Staff. It is of special interest in this city and county, since Alfred (Butch) Perkins, well-known McKinney young man is a son of Editor and Mrs. M. F. Perkins and a grandson of Senator-Mayor and Mrs. Tom W. Perkins. That Alfred is doing "right well" for himself will be seen in the following story.

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SCION OF PERKINS FAMILY IN AS MECHANIC, BUT MUSIC IS HELPING A LOT.

One of the weekly magazines recently printed a story with pictures in color, depicting phases of U. S. army life in Puerto Rico.

As may be known, the paternal government has established quite a military base down there, with San Juan, the capital, as the center of activities, and Borinkuen flying field measuring up to, or exceeding many of the "at home" establishments where in the young idea is being taught to shoot—and fly.

Everything considered, existence at West Indian base is pretty much of a near-perfectness, if you take the words of some of the young fellows who've gone down there.

Alfred Perkins, for instance. Young Alfred is a scion of the local Perkins family—a grandson of Mayor and Mrs. Tom W. Perkins, and the son of Mr. and Mrs. Maxwell Perkins of Farmersville. His grandfather has long held the helm on the McKinney Courier-Gazette. His dad is running the Farmersville Times.

Alfred's Fourth Estate leanings, however, were mostly mechanical. Like most all young fellows of the present era, also, he was quite interested in aviation. As to that, there might be something in heredity. Father Maxwell Perkins did his bit at a Seattle naval training station just prior to the wind up of W. W. No. 1.

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Graduate of N. Y. A.

So, after high school, Perkins II, with his mechanical learnings and his aviation penchant, went to the N. Y. A. school at San Antonio and listed himself for the aviation mechanic course. They sent him to Barksdale Field, Shreveport for some finishing, then yelled "all aboard" for the Porto Rico bound transport. That was several months ago, and Alfred has been having a swell time ever since, according to what he writes his homefolk.

Ability to blow a trombone was one of Perkins' attributes as developed in McKinney high, and it's adding to his savings account in the home town bank.

You see, when a fellow finishes up on his required stint as an aviation technician, his time is his own. So Alfred organized a dance band. It's made up of himself and five other musically-minded technicians. They play for the officers' dances at San Juan, and also as local Borinquen Field entertainment for the forces there. Whatever they make is their own—and Alfred's remittances have been regular and not all meager.

One of his latest letters tells about the purchase of a bull fiddle. Of course you know what that it— the zoom-zoom-zub stringed instrument that supplies the basic rhythm for all well regulated dance bands.

It seems that the Borinquen Bomber Bazookas didn't own a first-class bull fiddle. Theirs was a relic of many a jazz session—of too numerous jamborees when the going got rather rough. In other words, it was somewhat battered and unable to give out properly.

One evening when no musical engagement was on the calendar, the Bazookas listened casually to a native serenading group. Its bass violin was a marvel of bigness and sub-cellar tones. It was handmade and of a native resonant wood that gave out marvelously.

"Quanto vale?" queried one of Alfred's companeros, possessed of a modicum of Spanish. What value would the musician put upon his instrument?

"Yo no se, senior," from the zoom-zoom player, with a shrug of expressive Latin shoulders.

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Combined Ages Of 3 Plano Citizens Totals 241 Years

J. W. Shepard, George D. May And W. J. Robbins Are Well-Known South Collin Citizens.

In a barbershop in Plano the other day three well-known citizens were in chairs getting haircuts and shaves, when the conversation drifted around to ages. The three patrons were: J. W. Shepard, George D. May and W. J. Robbins, whose combined age was 241 years.

Roy Brockman, Rounding Out 25 Years In Show Business In City Is A Native Son Of Collin County

Mr. Brockman, Manager Of Ritz, Texas, And State Theaters, Is Example Of Native Son Making Good; Came To McKinney May 25, 1916, With His Brother Tom Brockman; Is Regarded As Permanent Fixture; Is Overseas World War Veteran, And Won Distinguished Service Medal For Bravery In Action.

A native of Collin County, Manager Roy L. Brockman, who had lived in Denton and Dallas, and who came back to McKinney twenty-five years ago, is now regarded as a "permanent fixture" of McKinney. And McKinneyites are glad, for he is regarded as one of North Texas' most capable theater men.

Soon after coming to McKinney, Mr. Brockman entered the service of his country, going overseas during the first World War and serving with the A. E. F. in France. Modest as he is, Mr. Brockman reluctantly refers to his period of service for his country and it remained for a friend to remind this newspaperman that he won the Distinguished Service Medal for his bravery and heroism in action during that struggle.

During his absence from McKinney, his picture show houses were capably managed by Mrs. Brockman. He served eleven months overseas, returing home March 24, 1919, and resuming management of his theaters.

Mr. Brockman has observed many changes in the motion picture business in the quarter of a century he has been in McKinney. Talking pictures, he recalls, made their debut here in March, 1929. He was one of the theater managers who foresaw the possibilities of this innovation in the world of films.

He has seen the coming of the technicolor film and declared these colored films is one of the most modern and progressive steps in the motion picture industry.

Manager Brockman thoroughly understands his business, is quick to bring the newest innovations to his McKinney Theaters, and for that reason is keeping the Ritz, Texas, and the State Theaters abreast of the progressive trend in the motion picture film industry. He holds the admiration and respect of a host of friends and acquaintances throughout this city and county, as well as over North Texas.

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John W. Forsyth Is Here From Princeton, N. J.

John W. Forsyth, of Princeton, N. J., is in McKinney visiting his Mother, Mrs. W. G. Forsyth and his brother, George Forsyth and wife. Mr. Forsyth recently was awarded his Ph. D. Degree at Princeton University, and has been appointed an instructor in the summer session at that school. Later he will go to Clinton, S. C., where he has charge of the Biology Department of the Presbyterian College.

Sidney W. Gant, Pioneer Dallas Countian, Dies

Sidney W. Gant, 65, North Dallas County farmer who always operated on a large scale so that his fourteen children could help cultivate the soil, died at his home, north of Richardson Sunday.

Born in Tennessee, Mr. Gant was brought to Plano, in a covered wagon while just a few weeks old. He grew up in the community and put each of his fourteen children through the Richardson High School. They all live in Dallas County.

Mr. Gant, weighing well over 200 pounds, was actively interested in all community and school improvements. He was a member of the Richardson Methodist Church.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Molly Gant; six daughters, Miss Clevy Gant, Miss Pauline Gant, Miss Opal Gant, Miss Flossie Gant, Miss Lois Gant and Miss Mabel Gant; eight sons, Johnsey Gant, Morgan, Sidney W. Gant, Guy Gant, Wyatt Gant and Jack Gant; two sisters, Mrs. Joe Storns, Plano, and Mrs. Emile Hart, Dallas; two brothers, Morgan Gant, Oklahoma City, and Walter Gant, Murphy.

Three well-known North Texas women have places of prominence in the organization known as the National Institute of the Supreme Forest Woodmen Circle, a life insurance society, which will hold its quadrennial conclave in Omaha, Nebr., June 22 to 26. Mrs. Jeanie Willard of Denison is National Vice President; Mrs. Lena Shugart of Garland is Manager for North Texas and Mrs. Maggie Hyde of Dallas is long-time member of the National Legislative Committee.

Special Screen Attractions Local Theaters This Week

Special Shows At The Ritz, Texas, And The State Theaters, Says Manager Roy L. Brockman, Who Is Completing Twenty-Five Years In Theater Business In McKinney.

Roy L. Brockman, who is celebrating his twenty-fifth year in the Theater business in McKinney, is offering some splendid bills at all three of his play houses.

At the Ritz Tuesday Jean Arthur is appearing in "The Devil and Miss Jones," a fine comedy. Wednesday and Thursday Robert Montgomery will be at this theater in "Rage In Heaven." and Friday and Saturday Marlene Dietrich comes to the Ritz screen in "The Flame of New Orleans."

Tuesday and Wednesday at the Texas Theater, Mr. Brockman is showing Pat O'Brien in that lovable character, Knute Rockney, the late Coach of Notre Dame. At the Texas Thursday will be "Father's son," starring John Litel and Billy Dawson.

At the Texas Friday and Saturday will be the "Doomed Caravan" featuring William Boyd, and at the State Theater Friday and Saturday will be "The Phantom Cowboy."

Senator Joe Hill Of Henderson Is McKinney Speaker

Senator Joe Hill, of Henderson, one of the State's outstanding and best known members of the Upper House of the Texas Legislature, addressed a large sized audience on the Court house lawn Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. He is a good speaker and held his crowd for more than an hour and a half. He did not state for whom he would vote for the Senate, but positively stated, although he voted for Governor O'Daniel the first time, he has parted company with him and is against him for United States Senator.

Considerable heckling was heard in the McKinney audience but the Senator invited questions pro and con. At the conclusion of his address many went forward and shook his hand. He was well received here and is one of the best speakers who has so far visited McKinney. Recognizing and acknowledging Senator Hill as one of the outstanding citizens, Mayor Perkins introduced him and welcomed him to our city.

Funeral Is Held For Miss Mary Christine Weaver

Funeral services for Miss Mary Christine Weaver, 42 years old, native of New Boston, Texas, who died Tuesday morning at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Humphries, in Allen, were conducted Wednesday afternoon at the Allen Methodist Church, with interment in the Allen Cemetery. Rev. Moore, Methodist Minister of New Boston, officiated.

Miss Weaver is survived by her mother, Mrs. John Weaver and the following brothers and sisters Magdalyn Weaver, Dallas; Mrs. J. C. Misseldine, Mrs. O. W. Lanier, Mrs. Sallie L. Burrows, Dr. J. P. Weaver and Arthur Weaver. Mrs. Humphries of Allen, at whose home she died, and another aunt, Mrs. S. H. Hood of Emory, also survive.

Clint M. Lewis, County Tax Assessor-Collector, spent a few days in Austin on business. He was accompanied by Mrs. Lewis and their little daughter, Mary Frances.

Nephew Of C. A. Turrentine Dies At Nashville

C. A. Turrentine of McKinney received the sad message Tuesday of the death of his nephew, Harold Turrentine, about 40, at his home at Nashville, Tenn. His passing occurred Monday night. Surviving are his wife and one son, Jerry, about 19, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Turrentine. The deceased was a well-known dairyman of Nashville.

Funeral servcies were held in Nashville Wednesday.

Assemblies Of God Convention Held At Abilene

Rev. and Mrs. Earl J. Rogers, their two children, Robert Earl and Mary Evelyn, and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Shewmake have returned home from Abilene where they attended the Texas District Council of the Assemblies of God convention held in that city from Tuesday to Friday of last week.

Rev. Rogers says that this year's convention was one of the best yet. There were 1,005 Ministers, delegates, missionaries, and visitors registered. The convention was held in the large First Baptist Church Auditorium in downtown Abilene.

While there Mr. Rogers and party visited camp Barkley and also were happily greeted by Rev. G. B. Bradshaw, former McKinney Pastor, who conducted them through his newly-erected Chapel, which is situated in front of one of the main entrances to Camp Barkley. "It is one of the most beautiful and well equipped chapels I have ever had the pleasure of seeing" said Rev. Rogers.

On their return trip the party passed through the beautiful Palo Pinto mountains and Mineral Wells and all were high in the praise of the scenic beauty of this part of Texas at this season of the year.

Mrs. Price Carr and daughter Mrs. Wofford Thompsoan and son, Wofford, Jr., spent Sunday as guests of their son and brother, Richard Carr, Mrs. Carr and little son, Richard Henry Carr, Jr., in Texarkana.

J. L. Meacham of Celina, who was operated on at the McKinney City Hospital a few days ago, was taken home Tuesday.

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THURSDAY, JUNE 19, 1941.

Editorial Expression

No search warrant is needed when a man starts looking for trouble.

A nice coat of paint certainly improves the appearance of one's home and other buildings. Why not use more of it?

The good old days were those when young folks had their desire for night life satisfied if there was a strawberry festival in the town.—Exchange.

When one considers how little effort a smile takes and the great amount of happiness it causes, we often wonder why we don't hide our own troubles more and wear a cheerful countenance as we go about our duties from day to day.

When Patrolman Norman Campbell, of Kansas City, Mo., responded to an alarm at a theater he found that the pretty cashier, Miss Peggy Robinson, had been robbed. Within ten days the robbery was solved, and Miss Robinson became the bride of Patrolman Campbell in a church wedding.

Collin County citizens enjoy the reputation of being one of the richest agricultural counties in the State and Southwest. Almost any kind of crop grows well in this rich blackland. At this season of the year many farmers are engaged in marketing their onion crop, another product that is ideally adapted to this county. And they're getting a good price for their product, too.

Roughly 80 per cent of the wheat farmers of the country have voted approval of a plan of marketing quotas for their grain crop. Under the program, the government will fix quotas for wheat to be placed on the market. Crops grown in excess of the quotas are to be stored, as surplus, to keep it off the market until it is needed, the government lending the growers cash at the rate of about 97 cents a bushel for stored grain.

Britain has made secure the rich oil fields of Iraq. After nearly two months of fighting, the government of Iraq asked for an armistice with the British, and fighting ceased. Despite the assistance of the German air force, the Iraq forces were steadily being hammered to pieces by the English. Collapse of the first came when the pro-nazi Iraq regime, led by Rashid Ali al Gailani, fled from the country. The German air force hastily departed at about the same time.

McKinney and Collin County friends learn with great interest and with much satisfaction of the appointment of Glenn Massie, well-known undertaker of this city, as a member of the State Board of Embalmers for the six-year period ending May 31, 1947. The appointment, made by Governor W. Lee O'Daniel, now goes to the Senate for confirmation. Recommendation by the Governor of Texas is recognition for his merit in his field of work, news of which will be well received throughout this city and county and elsewhere. where is is known.

ARMY EXPERIMENTING WITH TANK-CARRIERS.

The United States Army is experimenting with a huge transport airplane that will be capable of carrying light-armored tanks, similar to those used by the nazis in the Crete assault, according to reliable congressional sources.

The tanks carried by the transport planes are comparatively light, weighing less than seven tons. They are assembled in sections when landed.

Representative Engel said, "With our navy we don't have to worry so much about Germany bringing her panzer divisions across the Atlantic to South America or other points in this hemisphere, but Germany has demonstrated how effective air-borne tanks can be."

Declaring that the territories such as Greenland and South America might be well defended by a counter-attack with such speedy tanks, Engel said that the army would be getting more light and medium tanks in six months than there will be soldiers to man them.

SOLONS APPROVE FUND OF CCC.

The House Appropriations Committee in Washington has approved a $1,155,927,222 labor department and Federal Security appropriated, bill, $31,069,022 less than the President requested, but exceeding this year's outlay by $35,848,778.

In the interest of defense training, the committee spared the Civilian Conservation Corps and the National Youth Administration from drastice economy reductions. Secretary of Treasury Henry Morgenthau, Jr., had suggested these two agencies were likely spots for big savings.

The Committee reported that threatened strikes from May 1, 1940, to April 1, 1941, increased more than 400 per cent over the previous year.

The CCC enrollment which has been declining, for the first time failed to fill its quotas. Testimony released by the committee showed the CCC is having stiff competition from booming war industries and the army and navy.

Keeping up with the Joneses wouldn't be so hard if the Joneses weren't always trying to keep up with the Smiths. —Louisville Courier-Journal.

With edible paper available, it now is possible for one to eat his own words, be they spoken or written.—Scanlan in Buffalo Evening News.

Two million letters are being sent out inviting people to spend their holidays in New York. It is to be hoped that everyone comes, but not at the same time.—New Yorker.

Mass production of a new type of fast boat, able to transport 25,000-pound tanks and 75-millimeter guns, has begun in New Orleans, according to Major E. E. Linsert, of the Marine Corps. He said that the boats were the first satisfactory type ever designed for transportation of such equipment.

THE RED CROSS.

The American Red Cross is 60 years old. It has every right to expect, and without doubt will receive, warm birthday congratulations from all the world, for the whole world has benefited by its far-flung operations. Since the outbreak of this war alone, it has distributed in relief to stricken lands money and goods to the amount of $35,075,599, more than half of which it has itself collected. In its 60 years it has relieved sufferers in every major American disaster, and has ministered to the wounded and provided comfort for the armed forces of this country in every war in which we have been engaged.Its range and its influence have grown with its ministrations. When Clara Barton brought it into existence in 1881, she recruited a first group of 890 volunteers. Today the Red Cross has 8,700,000 adult members, of whom 1,000,000 are in its active service. From the beginning it has striven to meet every emergency. In the difficult times that confront us it is ready again. May it continue to grow and to prosper.—New York Times.

AMERICAS TO CURB WAR GOODS EXPORT.

Strict control of all exports of war materials is planned by the 21 republics of America as an economic defense against nazi threats to the peace and security of the Western Hemisphere.

This action comes as a bulwark to President Roosevelt's unmistakable challenge to the axis powers.

Diplomatic negotiations among the Americas are already under way, it is said. They are designed to achieve continental solidarity against common danger, by having each American nation impose export control systems.

Such systems would conserve all strategic raw material and manufactured products required for defense of the hemisphere and aid to Britain by placing restrictions on expert of war supplies to areas outside this continent.

Secondly, they would prohibit re-export (except to other American countries) of vital materials and goods which have been imported from another nation. Thus, it is hoped, there would be no leakage through which Germany, Italy, or axis-dominated countries might obtain supplies.

At least seven South and Central American republics already have adopted export control systems of varying degrees, and negotiations inspired by the United States now are in progess among other republics.

TEXAS FURNISHING DEFENSE MINERALS.

Geologists at the University of Texas have begun an organized search for minerals that are needed in the nation's rearmament program.

The don't have to travel far, since Texas leads the nation in oil and gas production and has the only helium gas supply in the United States. Its income from minerals last year was $800,000,000.

The university bureau of business research reports a steady increase in mineral development, with a 75 per cent rise in income between 1929 and 1940. Oil and gas account for 90 per cent of this sum, but $50,000,000 worth of other minerals were sold last year.

Geologists have found that six "strategic" metals—for which sources outside the continental United States have been used in the past—are available in Texas.

These are chromite, nickel, manganese, tungsten, tin and bismuth. These war materials have been found only in small quantities so far, but the development has not been pressed before.

In Central Texas geologists have found tin oxide in the sand of streams and now are prospecting the streambeds to locate the main deposits from which the tin comes.

Of 20 minerals which federal authorities list as "critical," but of which there is no present shortage, only asbestos has been found in preliminary surveys.

COMPLETES QUARTER OF A CENTURY IN ENTERTAINMENT FIELD.

Congratulations are due a well-known, highly esteemed and valuable McKinney citizen, Roy L. Brockman, who Tuesday, is rounding out a quarter of a century in the theater business in McKinney. Mr. Brockman, as our readers are aware, is a native of Collin County, and his success in the entertainment field in this city is a splendid example of a native son making good.

Mr. Brockman, with his brother, Tom Brockman, opened the Queen Theater in McKinney June 17, 1916. Since then, he has kept pace with the rapid march of progress in the moving picture world. He has seen many changes in his chosen field of work and it is a tribute to his business ability and versatility that he has kept abreast of the fast-moving changes and improvements in the theater industry.

This issue of the Daily Courier-Gazette and the Weekly Democrat-Gazette is filled with interesting news stories concerning Mr. Brockman and the theater industry in McKinney, and numerous congratulatory advertisements from merchants, filled with well wishes to this popular McKinney man for having served a quarter of a century in his field of work.

Mr. Brockman is Manager of the Ritz, Texas, and the State Theaters in McKinney, all modern, up-to-date and first-class theaters, in which are shown the latest and most popular film releases from the movie capitals of the nation. He caters to the wishes of thousands of movie-goers throughout this city, county and North Texas and it is a tribute to his ability in bringing splendid pictures to McKinney that he draws moving picture show patrons here from a wide area, because they know they will see a modern, high class show any time they attend a McKinney Theater.

These newspapers join with his host of other friends in extending him congratulations and best wishes, and wishing for him many more years of successful picture show management in this city.

25 YEARS AGO IN M'KINNEY

FROM THE FILES OF THE DAILY COURIER-GAZETTE

(Monday, June 12, 1916.)

Mrs. Ed Brown was a visitor in Dallas today.

Dr. E. S. Blythe of Allen was a visitor in McKinney today.

Homer Gay has returned from Dallas, where he has been a student in S. M. U.

Sunday was Field Day in McKinney for the Anti-Saloon League of Texas.

S. W. Weisman has purchased the nice 60-acre farm from S. E. McChesney near Blue Ridge.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Snider of Sherman spent the past week-end in McKinney visiting relatives.

Francis Nenney, who has been attending Austin College, at Sherman, has returned to his home in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Mouzon went to Dallas last evening to attend Vesper services on the lawn at S. M. U.

J. C. Erwin, Jr., and Douglas Erwin have returned from Sherman where they attended Austin College.

Misses Della and Bessie Long of Climax arrived in McKinney today and will attend the Summer Normal.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Melton and baby son of Maple were the guests of Mrs. Melton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Bagwill Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Gerrish have returned home after a most pleasant visit with their sister, Mrs. G. G. McAlexander and husband at Cooper, Texas.

Walter Steele, member of the Burrus Rifles, now stationed at Alpine, Texas, arrived in McKinney Sunday on a ten-day furlough.

Guy Harris and Miss Naomi Hyden, a young Allen couple, were united in marriage at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon, June 11, by Eld. John M. McKinney, of this city.

Miss Maud Webb left today to join her mother and sister, who are visiting Mrs. Webb's daughter, Mrs. P. V. Jones at Shawnee, Oklahoma. After a few day's visit there, Misses Maud and Bain Webb will leave for Chicago to spend the summer, while Mrs. Webb remains at Shawnee.

(Tuesday, June 13, 1916.)

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Kimball motored to Farmersville today.

Jim Douglas of Melissa was here yesterday afternoon on business.

Esq. J. F. Wester of Weston was a business visitor in McKinney Monday afternoon.

Alma Wilson of Princeton was transacting business in McKinney today.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Gibson, of Melissa, attended the Chautauqua here last night.

Miss Mattie Acker of Frisco is visiting her sister, Mrs. Jim Muse.

Miss Bertha Goostree has gone to Wichita Falls for a weeks' visit to friends.

Miss Mae Hall and little nice, Hazel Cogburn, were welcome callers at this office Monday afternoon.

Miss Faires Franklin of this city has been employed as teacher at the Trinity School for the 1916-17 term.

R. A. Joplin is building a nice, new garage on South Tennessee Street, where his home recently burned.

Masters Lovejoy and Wilkins Comegys of Gainesville are spending a few days with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Lovejoy.

Mrs. J. H. Warden and little daughter, Margaret, arrived Sunday from Yoakum, Texas, to visit her Mother, Mrs. Lee Talkington, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Wilson and children and the former's Mother, Mrs. Alice Wilson, have returned from a ten-day visit to Tehuacana, Corsicana, Wortham and Forreston.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Cloyd and little daughter, Rebecca Louise, Mrs. Tennie Harrison and son, Jim Webb, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Tight of the Wallis Chapel Community yesterday.

The North Texas Gas Company is opening up a new business office on North Kentucky Street. The Gas Company states that it will be ready for business in some ninety days.

J. M. Noblitt, 78, died at his home in the McDonald Community Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock. He is survived by his wife and several children. Funeral services were held at the home, burial following in Pecan Grove Cemetery, this city, with the J. P. Crouch & Company in charge.

(Wednesday, June 14, 1916.)

Homer Gay was a business visitor in Dallas today.

Vernie Graves was transacting business in Dallas today.

Lewis Scott has returned from Austin, where he has been attending the State University.

Van Hill of Melissa was a visitor in McKinney Tuesday night.

Mrs. Sarah Howell returned this morning from a month's visit to her son and family at Ozark, Alabama.

Court Fitzhugh of Los Angeles, California, has arrived in McKinney for a weeks' visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Fitzhugh.

Col. Louis C. Perry, Ph. D. President and founder of Texas Military College at Terrell, has been in McKinney for a few days in the interest of that school.

Cohen Bros., who have stores at Dallas, Denison and other places, have leased the building of Heard Bros. on East Louisiana Street, and will open July 1 for business in this city.

Another big day was enjoyed at the Chautauqua Tuesday afternoo nand night, when A. V. Thavie, famous Russian and his band gave programs. Opera singers appeared on the program Tuesday night. The same band appeared at the Chautauqua here last year.

(Thursday, June 15, 1916.)

J. M. Furr of the Rhea's Mill Community was a Dallas visitor today.

Mrs. C. J. Haydon went to Sherman to visit her daughter, Mrs. J. R. Bullock and family.

At the regular meeting of the Commissioners' Court this week, a reduction of the tax rate in the bonded good roads district was made.

Prof. Parker and wife and Prof. A. S. McComb have re-elected for the cominbg term of the Rhea's Mill School.

Miss Louise Jones of Midland and Miss Leslie Bush of Allen are the guests of Mrs. R. D. Schultz this week.

C. J. Barlow has just returned from Chicago as a delegate from the National Republican Convention. While there he was a guest of his son, Perry Barlow.

Mrs. Jass Howell, formerly of McKinney, died Wednesday at her home in Dallas. She is survived by five children. Rev. J. Ben Snider conducted the funeral services. Burial was made at Forest Grove.

Mrs. C. C. Cross who has been teaching at Red Oak, Ellis County, and daughter, Miss Leta Cross, who has been teaching at Smithville, are home to spend their summer vacation. Both were re-elected for next year.

(Friday, June 16, 1916.)

Miss Myrtle Alexander is visiting friends in Bryan, Texas.

The annual Methodist Sunday School picnic will be held Tuesday, June 20, this year.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Lewis White are the proud parents of a pretty little baby daughter.

Hon. J. D. Cottrell was a business visitor in McKinney today from Plano.

Mrs. J. T. Moreland of Allen was a visitor at this office today.

J. T. (Tom) Mitchell and Joe E. Hight, both of the Stiff Chapel Community, were business visitors here today.

The original "Humbug Circus," which will give two performances in Fort Worth Thursday, will show here Tuesday, June 20.

There will be a two-day picnic at Altoga July 6 and 7. The picnic will be given under the auspices of the Woodmen Circle, with music furnished by the Altoga Band.

The remains of the infant of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Porter, Jr., residing on South Chestnut Street, were laid to rest this afternoon in the Forest Grove Cemetery.

Col. Louis Perry, President of the Texas Military School, at Terrell, is in McKinney endeavoring to get twelve Collin County boys to attend this school.

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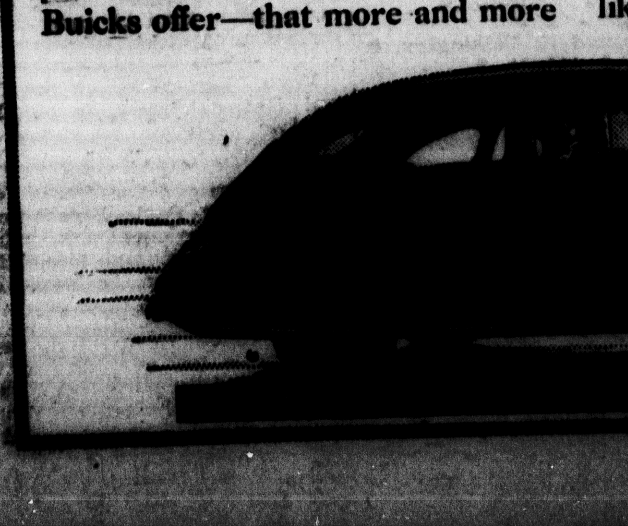

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Mrs. L. C. Clifton, Lennox Clifton, and Mrs. Jesse Speight, have returned from Winnsboro, where they have been attending the bedside of Mrs. Clifton's sister, Mrs. Robinson, who is critically ill.

Mrs. Bill Turner and son, of Goose Creek are visiting her parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. L. Gossett.

Mrs. Joe A. Crump, of McKinney, Route 4, is a patient in the City Hospital, where she submitted to an operation Monday.

Fire was discovered in time in the tailor shop of R. M. Marcn, in Celina, tne other night and the door was broken open and the flames extinguished. The shop adjoins the Post Office.

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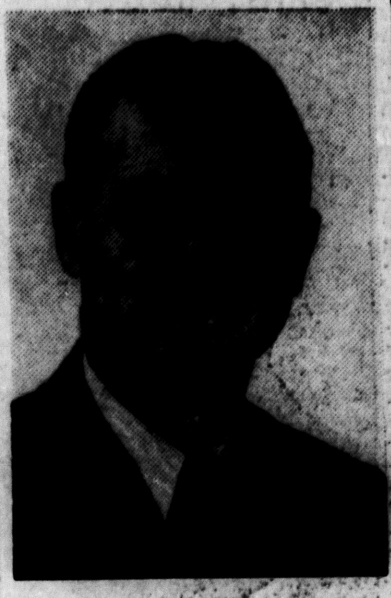
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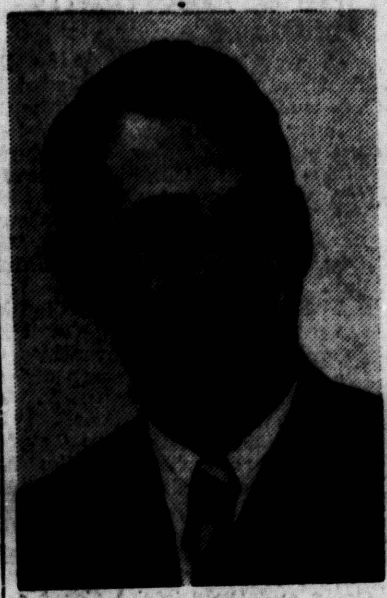
TIP McCARLEY.

Announcement is made Friday by George E. McCarley and Tip McCarley, brothers, of their purchase of the Collin County Buick Company, equipment and fixtures from the F. B. Pope Estate, these young McKinney business men having already assumed active management of this large McKinney automobile firm.

George McCarley has been managing the Collin County Buick Company for two years, having been a co-partner in the business with the late Fletcher B. Pope. Tip McCarley has been associated with that firm for the past year and a half as salesman. The two brothers will henceforth be partners in the management of the Buick Company.

"We have a complete service to offer our patrons," George McCarley said Friday. "We handle Gulf oil and gasoline, complete service for Buicks and other makes of cars, a complete garage service, sale of garage equipment and accessories, while we are also Collin County distributor for U. S. Tires."

In addition to their Buick agency, Messrs. McCarley also handle used cars. They offer road and wrecker service and Mr. McCarley says that no job is too big or too small for their friends and patrons.

Members of the personnel of that automobile agency and firm are Messrs. George E. McCarley and Tip McCarley, owners; Orlan Ritter and Jim Lewis, mechanics; Miss Robbie Hayes, bookkeeper, and Tommie Duncan, (col), helper.

The McCarley brothers are both natives of Collin County, sons of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. McCarley, now of Dallas. They attended school in this city and both have a host of friends and well-wishers in this city and county. George McCarley has been in the automobile business for eighteen years and both he and his brother have had much experience in dealing with the public in the automotive field.

"We feel that we are thoroughly able to serve the general public in an even better way, and our service is never too good for our customers," George E. McCarley said Friday.

He also says "When better cars are built, Buick will build them."

He points out that their business has increased 100 per cent since he has been manager of that firm in the past two years.

McKinney and Collin County friends extend congratulations to the McCarley brothers and wish them all possible success in their business. Refer to their advertisement elsewhere in Friday's Daily Courier-Gazette.

Arthur F. Heard President San Angelo Jaycees

A recent issue of the San Angelo Evening Standard carries a picture and story of Arthur Field Heard, who was recently elected President of the Junior Chamber of Commerce at San Angelo. Arthur Field is the son of Mrs. C. P. Heard of this city.

He is a staff member of the Telephone Company and is active in the Jaycee organiation there, having been First Vice-President and Secretary of the Board of Directors prior to his election as head of the group. Mr. Heard will take office in July. He is well and favorably known in McKinney, where he lived for many years and where he has a host of friends, all of whom extend congratulations on his election as president of the San Angelo Jaycees.

Mrs. John Sears Named President Of Band Parents

Officers for the year were elected by the Band Parents at their monthly meeting Tuesday at the McKinney High School and a number of business matters were discussed.

The new officers are. Mrs. John Sears, President; Mrs. Herman White, Vice President; Mrs. H. E. Crice, Treasurer; Mrs. Clifford Thomas, Secretary.

Officers announce that all parents of children in the McKinney High School Band or Drum and Bugle Corps are urged to attend these meetings which are held the second Tuesday of each month.

Former Collin Man Dies At Home In Alba

Tilman Jenkins, 72, for many years a resident of East Collin, died at 6 o'clock Wednesday afternoon at his home in Alba, Texas. Although in declining health for some time, he was able to be up and about his home Wednesday, his death being sudden. His funeral services were held Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the Grand Saline Methodist Church, of which denomination he had long been a member, with burial following at that place.

Mr. Jenkins is survived by his wife and several children, three of whom live in Collin County: Willie Jenkins, living Northwest of McKinney; Elzie Jenkins, Southeast of this city, and Mrs. Myrtle Casey, of near Celina.

A. T. Kever, McKinney furniture dealer, wife and son, Don and Henry Bandy, all of this city, attended the funeral services. The deceased was an uncle of Mr. Kever and a brother-in-law of Mr. Bandy. Clovis Rutledge also attended the obsequies from McKinney.

Mr. Jenkins had lived at Alba for the past twenty-five years.

He had a host of friends in this city and county, who will regret to learn of his passing.

Off On Trip To Denver, Colo.

City Commissioner Lyman D. Robinson and Mrs. Robinson, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cantrell left Thursday for a ten days' motor trip to Colorado. They will attend the International Rotary Convention at Denver and visit other points of interest. Mr. Robinson is the official delegate of the McKinney Rotary Club to the Denver convention. Mr. Cantrell is President of the local Rotary Club.

C. A. Good Of Carrollton Has Narrow Escape

C. A. Good, electrician for the Texas Power & Light Company, at Carrollton, narrowly escaped death by electrocution a few days ago when he was called to make repairs at the home of County Commissioner Tom W. Field, where the lighting system had been damaged by the storm. Mr. Good's gloves and clothing were soaked and when he touched one of the wires on the outside of the house he was knocked unconscious. The barking of dogs brought Mrs. Field, and she and neighbors helped to rescue the electrician.

J. W. McCullough Is Home From Wichita Falls

After attending the Eighty-Ninth District Court at Wichita Falls where he represented a young man of Collin County, charged with robbery, Hon. Joe W. McCullough prominent McKinney attorney returned home early Thursday. The case was tried before Judge Ernest M. Robinson and Mr. McCullough said he was treated with utmost courtesy by the judge, attorneys, jailer and all others connected with the court. Mrs. McCullough accompanied him to Wichita Falls and went on to Lawton, Oklahoma, to visit her son and will return home later.

Clarence Maynard, of Route 4, McKinney, was removed from the City Hospital to his home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ash, Jr., who live six miles East of Celina, are rejoicing over the birth of a fine baby boy.

Former S. Collin Colored Persons Drown In Flood

Of the twelve persons who lost their lives in the terrible floods near Albany, it became known here that the wife and four children of Paul Alexander (colored), of Plano, were among the victims. Alexander and a 12-year-old son were rescued from a tree-top a mile from their home. Tilda Heard (colored), of Plano, who was visiting her aunt, the wife of Paul Alexander, was also reported drowned. She was the daughter of Tom Jones (colored) of Plano.

Miss Elizabeth Wade Is Bride Of Wolford Fondren

In a quiet but impressive ceremony, Miss Elizabeth Wade, of Frisco, formerly of McKinney, became the bride of Wolford Fondren, of Allen. The ceremony took place at sunrise Friday at Celina, with Rev. L. T. Grumbles officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Wade of Frisco while the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Fondren of Allen. They were accompanied to Celina by Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Dugger of Allen and Mrs. Leslie Gilbert of Fort Sill, Okla.

The bride wore a dress of ash with tan accessories. The happy young couple will make their home in Allen. They have a host of friends who wish them much happiness and success through life.

Improvements At North End Grocery

The North End Grocery Store, at 711 North Tennessee Street, is being improved in appearance. The interior of the building is being repainted and refinished throughout by Mrs. R. A. Furr, owner.

Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Stewman and son Tommy, have returned to their home at McCamey after spending their vacation with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Boone and family. Mrs. Stewman was formerly Miss Jennye Boone.

Dr. W. S. Wysong Acquires Nearly 400 Acres Land

DR. WALTER WYSONG SR.

A real estate deal of considerable importance to the development of the rich farming community five or six miles Northwest of McKinney was consummated when Dr. W. S. Wysong, prominent physician and surgeon of McKinney and a large property owner, acquired from Tom Parvin and the other Parvin heirs a farm of 378.38 acres for a consideration of $19,750.50, according to the County records.

The tract, which is located on the new highway being built from McKinney to Prosper, is one of the richest in that section of the county. Dr. Wysong says he plans to further develop the farm and put in general farm crops, with the Parvin Brothers remaining on the place as tenants. By next season, Dr. Wysong intimated, he hopes to have the farm in a high state of cultivation.

Dr. Wysong is a native of Collin County and is a firm believer in the future of this city and section. He owns and operates the Wysong Clinic on North Tennessee Street, one of the most modernly equipped medical and surgical clinics in this part of Texas. Two sons, Dr. Scott Wysong and Dr. Dudley Wysong, are associated with him in the Clinic.

Otis Baskin popular cafe man on East Virginia Street, is making some improvements on his home on Leland Street. Same old story, McKinney keeps on doing it different.

Roy Keaton Is Speaker Before McKinney Lions

Taking as his subject, "Think," and following the line of thought expressed by Ralph Waldo Emerson in his philosophy of "Thoughts Are Things," Roy Keaton, Executive Secretary of Lions International, in Texas, delivered a brief, but decidedly, forceful address before the McKinney Lions Club at its luncheon Wednesday noon.

The distinguished speaker, who makes headquarters at Austin and devotes his time to organizing new Lions Clubs and visiting old clubs, was introduced by his brother, Paul Keaton, McKinney business man. Mr. Keaton and M. C. Johnson comprised this week's Program Committee. President W. L. Glazener presided.

Roy Keaton reported that fifty new Lions Clubs have been organized in Texas the past twelve months. He said the Texas clubs will send a large delegation to the Lions International Convention at New Orleans in July.

The McKinney Lions were led in singing several stirring songs by another distinguished guest, Charles H. Wallace, Executive Secretary of the Houston Lions Club and well-known as a song leader.

Mrs. Zeb Furr of Three Rivers, Texas, is in the McKinney City Hospital for medical treatment.

Rosson Hardwicke, who has been a patient in the City Hospital was removed to his home at the Country Club Saturday.

Dr. R. Lee Rhea Of San Antonio Visits Brother

Dr. R. Lee Rhea of San Antonio has arrived in McKinney to visit his brother, Will J. Rhea and family in this city. Dr. Rhea, who is well-known here, has just finished a session with the Examining Board of the State Veterinary Medical Association at Bryan, Texas, before which appeared a group of sixty-three veterinarians, who solicited certificates to practice. They represented five States, with most of the graduates of the Veterinarians Medical School at the Texas A. and M. College. Dr. Rhea is a Past President of the State Veterinarians Medical Association. He will be here several days.

Mrs. Homer Dowell is a patient in the City Hospital for a minor operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Sportsman and son, Bond of Marshall spent the week-end here with relatives.

Bobby Jack Todd of Anna spent the week-end here with James Stewart.

Mrs. Hubert Covington and infant son were removed to their home in Plano Saturday.

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FORD HAS THE STYLE—When you look at the smooth-flowing lines of this new Ford, you see one of the few cars with really up-to-date styling this year.

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Assembled in Texas by Texas Workers

Talking Movies Unheard Of When Roy L. Brockman Entered Show Business In McKinney; Movie Idols Are Recalled

Movie Idols Of Quarter Of A Century Ago Recalled; Marguerite Clark, William S. Hart, Mary Miles Minter, Grace Cunard, and Pearl White Were Stars Twenty-Five Years Ago; Favorite Criticism Then Was Person Who Read Titles Aloud; Mr. Brockman Has Kept Pace With Improvements In Show Business.

McKinney and Collin County citizens are taking "time out" this month to extend congratulations to Manager Roy L. Brockman of the Ritz, Texas, and State Theaters, who this month is rounding out a quarter of a century's service in the moving picture business in McKinney.

Many changes have taken place in those twenty-five years, and no one is better prepared to explain them and what they meant to the theater business than Mr. Brockman, who is recognized as one of the leading and most successful theater men in the State.

When Mr. Brockman and his brother, Tom Brockman, launched out in the moving picture show business in this city, only "silent movies" were known, and talking pictures were in the whispering stage—if they were even mentioned at all.

Those were the days of Marguerite Clark, Mary Miles Minter, Mary Pickford, William S. Hart, Grace Cunard, Pearl White and scores of other stars of former days, most of whom are unknown to the younger, movie-going generation except, perhaps, by reference of an older person, who remembers the "days when."

Double features were unheard of and a seven-reel movie was considered unusual. "Shorts," and one, two and three-reel films were the order of the day, with a comedy or two thrown in for good measure, starring, perhaps Fatty Arbuckle — remember him? Charlie Chaplin, likewise, was then coming into his own.

Those were the days when your favorite criticism was the person who came to the show and read the movie captions aloud, much to the chagrin of those sitting nearby.

A quarter of a century ago—this newspaperman recalls those days — persons thought the moving picture show business had come a long way, and had you mentioned to some of them the days of the modern talkie they would have looked at you in a queer sort of manner, as much as to say, "Maybe something like that will come along several decades from now, but certainly not for the present generation to enjoy."

Which goes to show you that the movie business has kept pace with the times and has kept in step with the forward march of progress.

And let it be said here and now for Mr. Brockman, he has kept abreast of the times, adding the latest and most modern improvements from time to time, much to the enjoyment of local moviegoers.

All of which causes one to wonder, "I'd like to peer ahead and see the changes that will be made in the next quarter of a century." However, if you have any ideas as to what these might be, you'd better keep them to yourself. More than likely folks won't believe you anyway, and may think that all the wheels are not working in a perfect manner in that cranium of yours.

Texas Theater Improvements Are Commended

McKinney Theater Modernized And Made New By Manager Roy L. Brockman, Who Is Rounding Out Twenty-Five Years In Picture Show Business In McKinney.

Indicative of the progressiveness of Manager Roy L. Brockman of the Ritz, Texas, and the State Theaters, to keep step with the modern march of progress and advancement in the entertainment field, is the extensive improvement program recently completed at the newly-reopened Texas Theater in this city.

Recently Mr. Brockman has moved the Texas Theater to the site of the State Theater, completely modernizing and making new the Texas. The State will henceforth be located in the site of the former Texas Theater.

Improvements on the newly-reopened theater include new concrete floors, modern seats, new fixtures, rest rooms, and addition of a balcony. Seats formerly in the Ritz Theater were moved to the Texas, and brand new seats installed in the Ritz. The improvements make of that moving picture show house one of the most modern in North Texas. The Texas, like the Ritz, will be open each day and night, while the State will be open on Saturdays, First Mondays and other special days, says Mr. Brockman.

Congratulations to R. L. Brockman
Upon His 25th Business Anniversary in the city.
WOOD'S CAFE

Congratulations Mr. R. L. Brockman
Upon Your 25th ANNIVERSARY
May You Enjoy Even a Greater Success.
Sam Reichman

Congratulations R. L. Brockman
Upon Your 25th Business Anniversary
Goostree's Book Store

We Extend Congratulations to R. L. Brockman
Upon His 25th Anniversary of Show Business in McKinney.
J. S. Bridgefarmer
Jeweler Optometrist

Do You Remember Days Of Nickleodeon, Other Early-Day Show History?

Much Progress Has Been Made In Twenty-Five Years That Manager Roy L. Brockman Of Ritz, Texas, And State Theaters Has Been In McKinney; Trying Days, Back Quarter Of A Century Ago, Recalled By Many McKinneyites.

"Let's go to the Nickleodeon!"

How many theater-goers in McKinney and Collin County remember "the good old days" when movies were sometimes located in out-of the-way places, in the rear of business houses and other buildings—those days, when the movies were in the formative stage, so to speak, and in their swaddling clothes.

But, like the baby boy or girl, who stumbles thousands of times while learning to walk and stand alone, so have the movies overcome those trying days, when the nation and the world was "catching on," so to speak, until now they are a full-fledged youngster, occupying a unique place as one of the nation's leading businesses.

No one knows better than Manager Roy L. Brockman, the able and affable manager of the Ritz, Texas and State Theaters, how much progress has been made in the theater business in the past quarter of a century, for he is one of those who experienced those early days when the business was just beginning to catch the fancy of the public and to demand a prominent part in their recreation program and budget.

In the "good old days" in McKinney, the Nickleodeon was located in the rear of the drug store on the South side of the square, and you could enjoy a show for one nickle.

And do you remember the early-day theater situated on the Southwest corner of the public square, where the Robinson Furniture Store is now located? And the Happy Hour and the Queen Theaters on East Louisiana Street? And how about the Open Air Airdrome, located next door to this office, where the Hamilton-Patterson Motor Company is situated?

And here's a confession, but be sure and don't breathe it to anyone: This office force could go up on the balcony of the office and see a good show "free for nothing." As to what happened to the open air show when it rained—well, that was another question.

And do you recall the America Theater on North Kentucky Street, not far from the Pope Theater, the two leading theaters in McKinney in their day?

But today, McKinney's Theaters are the Ritz, the Texas and the State Theaters, three of the most modern and up-to-date moving picture show houses in North Texas. They are air-cooled in summer, warm and cozy in winter, furnished with modern, comfortable seats, with conditions as ideal as is humanly possible.

Folks like to attend the Ritz, Texas and the State, for many reasons, chief of which are: They know they will enjoy a modern and up-to-date picture, and because they can spend a most enjoyable period of recreation therein.

More Than Score Faithful Employes Surround Roy L. Brockman In Local Theaters; All Experienced In Work

Just one big happy family.

That, briefly, describes the large number of faithful and competent employes of Manager Roy L. Brockman of the Ritz, Texas, and the State Theaters.

And, with a weekly payroll of approximately $400.00, one can readily figure up that amounts to something like $21,000.00 each year, all of it going to McKinney citizens and spent in McKinney.

Mr. Brockman is surrounded by twenty-one competent helpers, all well-known, substantial McKinney citizens.

Ritz Theater employes include Miss Clara Hardin, Jack Leonard, Mrs. Mary Browne, Frank Tittle, Horace Hankins, Pat Roberts, and Major Dixon (Colored.)

At the Texas and the State Theaters are Roy Brockman, Jr., Miss Kathleen Hamilton, Bob Hayes, J. H. Wells, M[illegible] Kindle, Mrs. Met [illegible] ... er and Willie Howard (colored). Worth Luchstron handles Mr. Brockman's bookings in Dallas.

It is a tribute to Mr. Brockman and his kindly and genial dealings, that many of these employes have been with him for many years. For example, Bob Hayes, operator at the Texas, has been with Mr. Brockman since he came to McKinney, or for a quarter of a century. Many of the other employes have been connected with him for one or two decades.

All these employes, without exception, are loyal and faithful to him, have a keen interest in serving the public and take a pride, as does Mr. Brockman, in bringing to McKinney the latest and most modern films.

Erwin Lindley and wife of Sherman spent the week-end in McKinney with relatives and friends. He is agent at Sherman for the Reliable Life Insurance Company. We have long known Mr. Lindsey, and had the pleasure of meeting him again [illegible] in this city.

Birthday Dinner Honors Well Known McKinney Citizens

A most enjoyable and delectable birthday dinner was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. V. Richardson, residing at 814 North Tennessee Street, Sunday noon, honoring the birthdays of Mrs. A. T. Kever and Mr. Richardson. The Kever and Richardson families, both of whom lived for many years in Northeast Collin, are a mong the city's and county's most respected and substantial citizens.

The birthday dinner, prepared by Mrs. Richardson, came as a pleasant surprise to both Mrs. Kever and Mr. Richardson, and proved enjoyable to all those attending. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Kever and sons, J. W. and Don Ray Kever; Mr. and Mrs. V. Richardson and children, Malcolm and Misses Frances and Marguerite; Mrs. Richardson's Mother, Mrs. Lizzie Coffey; her brother, Lloyd Coffey, and Mr. and Mrs. Don W. Bagwill.

Twelve Drivers' Licenses Issued

Twelve drivers of commercial automobiles and fifteen drivers of privately-owned cars were granted drivers' licenses Thursday afternoon by G. B. Trulock and A. F. Temple, Examining Highway Patrolmen of the Drivers' License Division of the Department of Public Safety. They held their regular Thursday afternoon hearing and examination in the office of Jusice of the Peace Clyde Doyle. Two persons were given instructors' permits, permitting the mto drive a car were given instructors' permits, driver with them. Four applicants were rejected for failure to pass the examination on the State Traffic Laws.

Pastor Called To Whitewright

Allen Harper of McKinney has been called as minister of the Church of Christ at Whitewright and began his work Sunday, when he preached at 11 a. m., it was announced by J. M. Simmons. Mr. Harper has been attending school at the Abilene Christian College during the past year. He is not married.

Ed Haun came up from Plano on business Wednesday.

Resolutions Are Adopted on Passing Judge Abernathy

Appropriate resolutions on the death of County Judge Jewel E. Abernathy to be filed with the County Court as a memorial to the memory of this able jurist and splendid Christian character, were adopted at an impressive meeting of the Collin County Bar Association, held in the District Court Room here Saturday.

The resolutions were drafted by a special committee appointed by President W. P. Abernathy of the Bar Association, composed of John Reese, Chairman; R. L. Moulden and T. B. Sisco.

It was decided to formally present the resolutions to the bereaved family of Judge Abernathy at the September term of the District Court, which convenes September 8, and a copy will be presented to the County Court and the District Court and also to the press at that time.

Members of the family will be invited to attend the meeting and every member of the Bar Association will be there to join in paying tribute to the Late Judge Abernathy, who was one of McKinney's outstanding citizens and attorneys. President Will Abernathy will appoint three prominent members of the Bar to make the presentations of copies of the resolutions.

The surviving children of Judge Abernathy are Mrs. Sarah Comegys, Jewel E. Abernathy, Jr., student at the University of Texas and Mercer Abernathy, a McKinney High School student.

An Appreciated Father's Day Gift

One of the happy McKinney fathers is C. W. Reddell, Local Agent of the Texas Electric Company, who has received a handsome tinted photograph of his son, Harold, for Father's Day. The son, who is with the R. A. F. stationed at Dallas, has been transferred to Tulsa, Okla., where he has started a three-month special course in instrument flying, where he will learn to "fly blind," and other modern tactics of aviation. Mr. and Mrs. Reddell, parents of the young aviator, say they expect their son to be transferred to some place in Canada as an aviation instructor. Mr. Reddell sent his father the photograph from Tulsa Saturday.

Taylor Jackson of Renner transacted business in this city.

CONGRATULATIONS
MR. R. L. BROCKMAN
Upon Your 25th Anniversary
Of Successful Show Business in Our City. May You Enjoy a Continued Success Is Our Wish.
PERKIN'S BROS. COMPANY

WITH BEST WISHES AND CONGRATULATIONS
To You Mr. R. L. Brockman
As You Celebrate Your 25th ANNIVERSARY of Show Business In This City.
J. P. DOWELL

WE ARE HAPPY
TO EXTEND CONGRATULATIONS
To R. L. Brockman Upon the Completion of 25 Years of Picture Show Business in Our City. We Wish for You Many More Years of Success.
GAMBLE'S DRUG
"Your Careful Druggist"

CONGRATULATIONS
TO OUR GOOD FRIEND AND CITIZEN,
R. L. BROCKMAN
Upon The Completion of 25 Years of Picture Show Business in this City. May Your Business Continue to Grow Is Our Wish.
TEXAS POWER & LIGHT COMPANY

Veteran Plano Lawyer Called By Death Saturday

J. DUDLEY COTTRELL.

J. Dudley Cottrell, 75, a Plano attorney and former Mayor, and a member of the State Legislature from 1903 to 1906, died Saturday in a Dallas hospital after an illness of more than two months. He was the father of Mrs. Wilson W. Crook, 4422 Arcady, Dallas, who survives.

For more than fifty years Judge Cottrell, as he was known in Plano, had been an attorney in the Collin County town, and was well and favorably known in McKinney. He worked his way to Texas as a boy from his native home near Cumberland Gap, Tenn., and had lived at Plano ever since.

March 25 Mr. and Mrs. Cottrell celebrated their Golden Wedding Anniversary at their home in Plano. Mrs. Cottrell was the former Miss Josephine Cook of Cuero and survives her husband.

Funeral services were held at 3 p. m. Monday in the Harrington Funeral Chapel at Plano and burial was in Plano Mutual Cemetery.

W. M. Wakefield Passes Away At Princeton Home

William Marion Wakefield, 48, native of Tennessee, died at his home in Princeton, in East Collin, at 5.10 o'clock Saturday afternoon, June 14, after an illness of a year. He was born in Tennessee, having lived in Texas for forty years and in Collin County and at Princeton for five years. He was a well-known and substantial farmer of East Collin.

His funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the Baptist Church at Princeton, conducted by Rev. Milton Greer, of this city. Burial followed in the Chambliss (Stony Point) Cemetery, under direction of the Massie Funeral Home of this city.

Pallbearers were Billie Joe Hansard, Tommy Hartsell, Eddie Felton, J. P. Blanton, Johnny Bangs, S. T. Goodnight, Rodnie Anderson, and Leonard Morrow.

He is survived by his wife, the former Miss Myrtle Goodnight, whom he married in Fannin County in 1913; a daughter, Leah Fay, at home; one son, William Marion, Jr.; his Mother, Mrs. John C. Wakefield; one brother, Lebert Wakefield of Princeton and the following sisters: Mrs. A. Hansard, of Princeton; Mrs. L. N. Mulkey of Sulphur Springs, Mrs. Claud Blanton of Dallas and Mrs. H. E. Atnip of Slaton, several nieces and nephews.

Importance Of Proper Nutrition Told Rotarians

Importance of the nutritional campaign being conducted by Government agencies throughout Collin County was stressed by Jack McCullough, County Agent, and Miss Helen Dunlap, County Home Demonstration Agent, in talks before the McKinney Rotary Club at the Weekly luncheon held at the First Methodist Church Friday noon.

Both Government representatives explained how necessary it is for this country to improve the health of the youth of the nation has a National Defense measure and they said the Rotarians could do their part individually in their respective communities to assist in this important work. They explained that the intensive campaign conducted in Collin County reached 38 school districts and that a county-wide meeting will be held Tuesday night, June 17, in the District Court room. They urged the Rotarians to be present, and hear the discussions and the reports of the teams of Government workers who have been actively carrying the drive to every part of the county. The same work is being done, they said, in every other county in Texas and every other State, at the request of President Roosevelt.

Prof. Earl Slaughter, Principal of the McKinney High School, and Will J. Rhea were the Committeemen who arranged the program for the Rotary luncheon.

Mrs. R. G. McCain, Jr., of Houston, is a guest of Her parents Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Burton.

William Nelson Gets Degree At A. & M. College

William Nelson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Otis Nelson of this city, recently graduated from Texas A. & M. College, receiving his B. S. Degree as Chemical Engineer. He has received his Commission as a Second Lieutenant, to be stationed at Edgewood Arsenal at Baltimore, Md., His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson; his sister, Mrs. Gladys Harrison, Grandmother, Mrs. Rosa Wilson, aunt, Mrs. R. A. Furr, and the latter's daughter, Mrs. J. T. Pearson, all attended the A. & M. Commencement exercises. Mr. Nelson is one of McKinney's best-known and esteemed young men. His host of friends wish him every success in his field of work.

Singing Will Be Held At Valdasta

The Fourth Sunday Singing Convention will meet Sunday afternoon, June 22, at Valdasta, at 2 o'clock. R. F. Williams of this city, President of the Convention, announces that the new song books have arrived and invites all singers to attend and take part.

WHITE BILLOWS FLOUR
JOINS WITH OTHERS IN EXTENDING
CONGRATULATIONS
To R. L. Brockman as he celebrates his 25th Business Birthday. We hope your business will continue to grow in the future as in the past.

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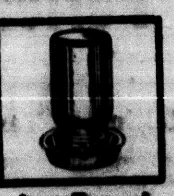
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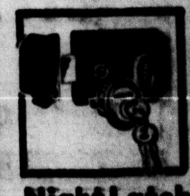
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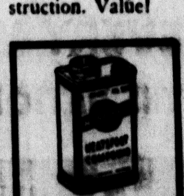
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J. P. Dowell

Attended Meeting Of Southwestern Life Ins. Agents

Home from the 37th annual agency convention of Southwestern Life Insurance Company held in Galveston, Texas, last week, Leonard Ray, local representative, reported that the outstanding point of the meeting was the Agents' Retirement Plan announced by C. F. O'Donnell of Dallas, president of the company.

The Agents' Retirement Plan becomes effective on July 1 of this year, and affects all agents of the company who have represented Southwestern Life for 20 years, and who have reached the age of 60. Agents are not required to make any financial contribution to the plan, and although they will begin receiving benefits from the retirement plan when they reach age 60, they may continue representing Southwestern Life thereafter, receiving their commissions as usual.

At the same time, President O'Donnell also announced an Elective Annuity program as available for the first time to all Southwestern Life agents, under terms of which representatives may invest from 1 to 4 per cent of their annual commissions. This program offers all Southwestern Life agents an opportunity to supplement their retirement income.

The company's treatment and consideration of its agency force attracted the attention of the T. N. E. C. and the S. E. C. in Washington, as a result of which the agency practices of Southwestern Life have received national attention.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray attended the Southwestern Life meetings, during which time his Mother, Mrs. R. L. Ray and their daughter, Miss Bobby Lou, visited relatives in Houston. Following the convention, all four enjoyed a visit to the Rio Grande Valley, Old Mexico, visiting Matamoras and numerous towns and cities enroute. They spent two weeks on their visit, which proved most enjoyable to them. Their many friends are pleased to see them home again.

C. W. Russell, 75, Succumbs At His Westminster Home

C. W. Russell, of Westminster, 75 years, 4 months, and 11 days of age, died Saturday night, June 14, at 9:15 o'clock after a three months' illness. Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the Methodist Church in Westminster, conducted by Rev. T. E. McKnight of Anna and Rev. Tom Kelton of McKinney. Burial was made in the Elm Grove Cemetery with the Crouch Funeral Home of this city in charge of arrangements.

Pallbearers were Carl Russell, Will Russell, Jim Russell, Harry Gaither, George Forbes and T. E. Webb.

Mr. Russell was born in Lincoln County, Tenn., February 3, 1866, to Dave and Rebecca Bennett Russell. He had lived in this county for sixty years and died at his home in Westminster. He was married to Sarah Davis, Sunday, June 15, being their fifty-third wedding anniverstary. He was a member of the Methodist Church at Anna.

Surviving are his wife, one son, Joe W. Russell, Route 2, Anna, and six grandchildren. His parents and eleven brothers and sisters preceded him in death.

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Improvement Of Bridges Given WPA Approval

Certified projects authorized by WPA Wednesday included the construction of four timber bridges, with the improvement of approaches, on State Highway 78, between Lavon and Wylie, in Southeast Collin County. Information received from the State WPA headquarters was to the effect that $40,536 will be furnished by WPA, while the State Highway Department will furnish $75,948. A total of 117 workers will be employed.

Fourteen projects were approved, on which the WPA will spend $728,957 and sponsoring agencies will furnish $428,642. Included in the projects will be improvements on the Kelly Field bombing range and the Randolph Field Administration Building, and to the military access road in El Paso County.

More than thirteen miles of road improvement, including the installation of eighteen timber bridges, has recently been completed by WPA workers in Precinct 1, in the Western part of Collin County.

Miss Julia Darnell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Darnell of Cottage Hill, has enrolled in the University of Colorado at Boulder. Mrs. Sam Davis of the same community is attending Denton Teachers College.

Olin Luscomb, who lives on Route 1, Celina, made a business trip to McKinney...

Miss Mary Elizabeth McChesney And Glenn Walker Massie Are Married

Miss Mary Elizabeth McChesney, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray McChesney, became the bride of Glenn Walker Massie in a beautiful wedding Wednesday morning at 11 o clock in the First Presbyterian Church with the Rev. Charles W. Solomon officiating.

Rainbow asters encircled in fern were banked at the altar, offset by crystal floor vases in wrought iron standards holding similar blossoms. Shasta daisies, rainbow asters, statis and fern decorated the choir loft and a profusion of rainbow asters adorned the piano. Potted ferns completed the background decorations.

The bride's mother, Mrs. McChesney, played as a pre-nuptial organ solo "Melody in F" (Rubenstein). H. L. Molyneux, accompanied by Mrs. McChesney, sang "I Love You Truly" (Bond). Mrs. McChesney also played the traditional wedding marches.

The bride entered with her father, who gave her in marriage. She was lovely in a white frock made on princess lines with square neckline outlined in fillet lace and short sleeves.

She wore an off-the-face hat of dusty pink straw and her accessories were white. Bonbon pink carnations and white feverfew, trailed in garland effect from a medallion arrangement tied with starched pink lace, formed the bridal shoulder bouquet, and she carried a white prayer book. The bride's only Jewels were a strand of pearls, which were a gift of the groom.

Miss Betty Ford, who wore pale blue print trimmed in white, a white-off-the face hat and white accessories, acted as maid of honor. Miss Nancy Massie of McKinney, sister of the groom, and Miss Georgia Miers were bridesmaids. Miss Massie wore a blue and white print touched with red and a halo hat of white. Miss Miers wore blue with a white off-the-face hat and white accessories. All of the bride's attendants wore shoulder bouquets of gardenias tied with starched white lace.

The groom was attended by Hilary B. Doran as best man and ushers were Earl McChesney and Don McChesney, brothers of the bride.

Mrs. McChesney, mother of the bride, wore navy sheer with white polka dots and a shoulder bouquet of rainbow asters. Mrs. Glenn Wood Massie, mother of the groom, wore navy sheer with white accessories and her shoulder bouquet was of pink gladioli and pink starched lace.

Following the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. McChesney entertained the wedding party and close friends in their home, 212 East Garfield Avenue. Shasta daisies in blue glass decorated the dining room. The table was laid in lace and centered with the white, three tiered wedding cake, embossed with white rosebuds and lilies of the valley and encircled with lavender and white cellophane ruffles outlined in purple statis.

After the bride cut the first slice, the cake was served by the groom's mother, Mrs. Massie, and the bridesmaids, Misses Ford Massie and Miers, served the punch.

Shortly after the breakfast, Mr. and Mrs. Massie left on their wedding trip to San Antonio and Dallas. For traveling, Mrs. Massie wore powder blue sharkskin with pink accessories.

Mrs. Massie was graduated from the Del Rio High School with the Class of 1941. A member of the Sub Deb Club, she served during the past year as treasurer of the organization. An active member of the young people's group in the First Presbyterian Church, she also sings in the church choir.

Mr. Massie is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Wood Massie of McKinney, Texas. He came to Del Rio a year ago, being employed by the Doran Funeral Home. He was reared in McKinney, attending the public schools there. He studied at Southern Methodist University in Dallas and State Teachers College at Denton for two years. He also studied at Woodberry College in Los Angeles and at the Dallas School of Embalming.

They plan to make their home in Del Rio.

Out-of-town guests for the wedding included the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Wood Massie, and their daughter Miss Nancy Massie, and the bride's brother, Don McChesney of New Work City.

Evangelist To Hold Meeting At Church Of Christ

V. E. HOWARD, Evangelist.

The series of Gospel Meetings began Sunday morning at the Central Church of Christ. Monday evening Evangelist V. E. Howard, of Greenville, took over and conducted the services daily.

Mr. Howard held a successful series of meetings for this church last June and his coming again is welcomed by the congregation.

The services are being held on the lot just West of the church, but in the event of rain will be moved into the church. Mr. Howard will bring with him his loud speaker so that he can be heard for several blocks.

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Pecan Grove Cemetery Ass'n. Appeals For Aid

For the past five years all lots in the McKinney Pecan Grove Cemetery have been kept in good condition notwithstanding the fact that the cost was not, in many cases, paid by the lot owners.

This was made possible by the very liberal policy on the part of the Cemetery Association, and through the generous gifts made by public spirited citizens of McKinney.

This plan was worked out and put into operation in 1936, Texas Centennial Year, and continued in operation to December 31, 1940. The purpose of this plan was twofold. First, to show to the visitors coming to Texas a universally well kept cemetery that resembled more a beautiful park than a burial place for our departed loved ones. Second, it was the purpose of the Association and its friends to make lot owners take more interest in the affairs of our Cemetery and through that interest help in every way to have all of our Cemetery well kept at all times.

Funds are no longer available on the above plan and it is now necessary to discontinue all lots not paid for by the owners and these lots will be permitted to grow up for want of upkeep charges. This is most regrettable as these unsightly lots will mar the looks of an otherwise beautiful Cemetery.

A recent ruling was made to the effect that lot owners will not be privileged to use their lots for burial purposes until dues and assessments have been paid.

This statement of facts is made for the benefit of all lot owners in Pecan Grove Cemetery and especially for those owners who have not been paying for the upkeep of their lots in the hope that they will see to it that upkeep may be provided for in some way.

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The above was handed these newspapers by officers of the Pecan Grove Cemetery Association. They are appealing for the cooperation of everyone in their desire to keep the Cemetery neat and clean at all times.

Anna Girl Bride Of Frisco Man

Mrs. William Luther Stone of Frisco was Miss Betty Jane Hagin in of Anna before her marriage last Saturday in McKinney. She is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hagin of Anna and a 1941 graduate of Anna high school.

Prof. and Mrs. Jack R. Ryan, and son, Jack Sears Ryan, left Tuesday for Centerville, where they will spend several days visiting relatives and friends. They will be guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Ryan, and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bascom Sears. Prof. Ryan, who is Superintendent of the McKinney Public Schools, orders the Daily Courier-Gazette to follow them while they are away from home to keep them informed on all local happenings. Their friends wish them an enjoyable visit.

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Funeral Held Saturday For W. C. Brinlee

Funeral services for W. C. Brinlee, who passed away Wednesday at his home in Van Alstyne, were held Saturday morning at ten o'clock.

The services were conducted by Rev. J. H. Davis, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Westminster at the Baptist Church in Westminster.

Interment took place at Elm Grove Cemetery West of Westminster.

Surviving are his wife, the former Miss Cecil Rickerson, and seven children: Jenny Vee, Eloise, and Bobby Freeman, all at home; Mrs. Lloyd Jackson of Dallas, Mrs. R. F. (Mattie) Mullins of McKinney, Route 4, in the Bloomdale community; W. C. Brinlee, Jr., in the United States Army at Fort Bliss, El Paso and Mrs. J. L. (Artie) Pounds of Clayton, New Mexico.

Mr. Brinlee was a member of the Baptist Church. He was a native of Collin County, where he was born September 6, 1862, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Brinlee. He was engaged in the real estate business in McKinney for several years, when he was connected with the McKinney Realty Company in this city. Mr. Brinlee had a host of friends living in McKinney and Collin County, who will regret to learn of his passing.

New Skating Rink To Open

McKinney will shortly have another modern Roller Skating rink.

J. J. Brown of McKinney and Douglas Cassady, of Denton, who are operating a rink in Denton, have just begun construction of a modern rink here. It is located just off North Tennessee Street, North of Cabell's Inc. The building will be 150 by 60 feet, of frame construction and with a sheet metal roof. The fine maple floor for the skaters will be 135 by 55 feet.

Laying of the foundation is about completed and Mr. Brown said they hoped to have the rink ready to open within about thirty days, or maybe by July 10.

This new place of amusement and healthful exercise will be managed by Mr. Brown. His partner, Mr. Cassady, manages the rink in Denton, which has been operating for about a year.

Last December the old rink, which was owned by Mr. Brown and which was located on Highway 75, North of the city, was destroyed by fire.

Bowling League Of Ten Teams Is Organized Here

A Bowling League with ten teams, representing McKinney business houses, has been organized by Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Dycus who operate the Dycus Bowling Alleys at 225 North Tennessee Street.

This amusement place has been very popular since four fine alleys have been installed. A fifth alley will be put in this week.

They have started a nine-weeks' series of games, to be staged nightly, followed by a two weeks' tournament and the final windup will be two or three nights of sweepstakes.

Teams in the Bowling League are: Textile Mill, Lovell's Cafe, Jimmy Foster, Mission Orange, Service Sign Company, Coldiron Barber Shop, Aunt Betty Bread, Midway Cafe, Ritz Theatre and Texas Power & Light Company.

MISS MAE ANDERSON WEDS NAVAL INSTRUCTOR.

Miss Mae Anderson and B. M. Hudgins of Portsmouth, Va., were married at the Methodist parsonage at Cumby by Rev. M. C. Sooter. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Anderson. She attended Denton Teachers College and has taught school for several years, being primary teacher in the Westminster School for five years and then at Altoga the last three years.

The bridegroom is a son of Mrs. Rosa Hudgins of Westminster. He has been in the Navy for 14 years. Now ranked as a chief pharmacist's mate, he is attached to the Norfolk Naval Hospital as an instructor.

After a wedding trip to Washington, D. C., and other points the couple will be at home in Portsmouth.

A. E. Curtis is building a new and modern cottage home on North Bradley Street. Old McKinney just keeps on doing it different. Good old McKinney.

Funeral Is Held For Mrs. Moncier Here Saturday

Funeral services for Mrs. Lola Moncier, 55, wife of George W. Moncier, who died late Thursday night in their auto trailer home just off East Virginia Street in East McKinney, were conducted at 2:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon at the Church of the Nazarene by the Pastor, Rev. F. O. Parr. Interment followed in the Orenduff Cemetery, near Melissa. The Massie Funeral Home had charge of the funeral arrangements.

Mrs. Moncier was born in Tennessee but spent about forty years in Texas. She was married to Mr. Moncier in Collin County in 1905, when she was 19 years of age. She is survived by her husband and eight children, Ed, Willis, George, Charles and Johnnie B. Moncier, all of McKinney; Mrs. J. W. Seabolt, Plano; Mrs. Flavorice Hilburn, McKinney, and Miss Bernice Moncier, McKinney; also a brother, Frank Hughes, and a sister, Mrs. Geo. Pingleton, both of McKinney. The deceased had been a member of the Baptist Church most of her life.

Firemen And Wives Enjoy State Meet

Officially representing the McKinney Volunteer Fire Department, D. M. Padgett and wife, Morey Neely and wife and Isaac Crouch attended the State Firemen's Convention at Wichita Falls June 10, 11 and 12. They report that 602 delegates and many visitors attended the three-day convention and that Wichita Falls entertained them royally.

At noon Wednesday, June 11, a special luncheon was given for the visiting ladies and that afternoon everyone enjoyed a "chuck wagon" luncheon. There was something doing every evening, the McKinney Firemen said, including entertainments of singing, dancing and acrobatics, and there was a dance every night. Kemp Hotel was convention headquarters. The meetings were held in the Wichita Falls Coliseum.

Daily Vacation Bible School At First Methodist

A Daily Vacation Bible School, for Beginners, Primaries, Juniors, and Intermediates, began Monday morning at the First Methodist Church in this city, directed by Miss Dorris Turrentine, teacher in the Intermediate Department of that Sunday School. Miss Annabelle Kerr is Secretary of the School.

The sessions, which will continue each morning from Monday through Friday, will begin at 8:30 o'clock, continuing for two and one-half hours, or until 11 o'clock.

Teachers are Mrs. Boyd R Morris, Beginners; Mrs. Earl Slaughter, Primaries; Mrs. Roy Caldwell, Juniors, and Mrs. Nathan Eldridge, Intermediates.

All children of these ages in the city are invited and urged to attend, says Miss Turrentine. The sessions are divided into periods of study, discussion, working on chosen articles, play, song and worship periods. The school is being held at the First Methodist Church.

R. L. Leslie, prominent Dallas business man, spent Thursday in McKinney.

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Many Improvements In McKinney Picture Show Houses In Past 25 Years

Roy L. Brockman And Brother, Tom Brockman, Came To McKinney May 25, 1916; Opened Queen Theater June 17 Of That Year; Ritz Theater Opened In 1928; Opened Texas In 1933 And Purchased State In 1936; Many Advancements Made.

It didn't take Manager Roy L. Brockman of the Ritz, Texas and State Theaters long to learn, after coming to McKinney with his brother, Tom Brockman, May 25, 1916, that McKinney was a good place to make one's permanent home. Mr. Brockman, who is rounding out twenty-five years in the moving picture theater business in McKinney, and brother, first purchased the old Feature Theater, on North Kentucky Street, upon coming to McKinney.

After making extensive improvements the theater, re-named the Queen, was opened June 17, 1916, which they managed until 1922, then consolidating with the R. & R. in March, 1922. He continued with that theater until May 31, 1931, at which time he managed the Queen, Pope and the America Theaters.

In October, 1928, the Ritz Theater was built, Mr. Brockman having managed that popular McKinney Theater since, or for thirteen years. In 1933, he opened the Texas Theater, purchasing the State in 1936 from Mr. Black, which has recently been extensively remodeled. Recent improvements to that theater have resulted in practically a new theater, re-named the Texas, including modern seats, balcony, new concrete floor, redecorated walls, and other conveniences.

The State, occupying the site of the original Texas Theater, will be open Fridays and Saturdays, and on special occasions.

The Ritz, Texas and State, all managed by Mr. Brockman, are among North Texas' most modern, first-class and up-to-date theaters, of which McKinney and Collin County are justly proud.

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Roy E. Brockman And Wife Will Move To Dallas

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Edward Brockman soon will move to Dallas, where Mr. Brockman will be Assistant Manager of a "Drive-In" picture show. This is a new type of amusement for this part of the State. The new theater is located on the Northwest Highway and is known as the "Northwest Drive-in."

Roy Edward informs us that there is space for some four hundred cars. As indicated by the name, you sit in your car and enjoy the movie. There are ushers to help park the automobiles. Mrs. Brockman will act as cashier at the theater. They have recently returned from Houston where they have been observing picture shows of this type. F. F. McHenry of Dallas is Manager, while the show is owned by W. G. Underwood, who is also interested in the McKinney picture shows.

Roy Edward is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Brockman of this city, his father having been in the picture show business here for the past twenty-five years. Mrs. Brockman is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Gamble, owners of Gamble's Drug Co.

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Days Of Super-Thriller, 25 Years Ago Kept Every Movie Fan Wondering How Hero Or Heroine Would Escape Villain

"The Broken Coin" And "The Iron Claw" Among Well-Known And Popular Serials Quarter Of A Century Ago, Recalls Roy L. Brockman, Manager Of The Ritz, Texas, And State Theaters; Serials Occupied Important Part In Picture Program Twenty-Five Years Ago.

Remember the days of the "super-thriller" serials, which kept you on edge during their showing, while from one week to another you kept wondering how the hero would get out of the trap by some super-human effort, and how the villian would be disposed of.

"Those were the days," mused an old-timer movie patron. Which brings up the thought that kiddies in McKinney would perform any household task requested of them Saturday morning, hurrying through their noonday meal, taking a quick plunge in the bathtub and, with a nickel or dime safely tucked in their pockets, would hie themselves to the theater to see the thriller.

Twenty-five years ago, when Manager Roy L. Brockman of the Ritz, Texas, and the State Theaters, came to McKinney, with his brother, Tom Brockman, and entered the theater business in this city, the serials occupied the attention of movie-goers. Not that modern-day serials are not thrilling. But, the modern day film, which is usually lengthy, plus the "shorts," news reels and other features, leave little time for the serial.

Twenty-five years ago, or thereabouts, do you recall that some of the serials and their stars? There was Grace Cunard in "The Broken Coin." Remember it? And there was Pearl White and many others whose specialty was acting in serials and who apparently took great delight in leaving their audiences spell-bound from one week to the next.

And, one musn't forget "The Iron Claw" and numerous other serials, which this newspaperman cannot omit, lest some movie-goer of that day recall the film and star to us, wondering why in the world we didn't mention it.

What mattered it if the stars performed super-feats, which we knew to be impossible? The scenes were thrilling, exciting, and thoroughly enjoyable. And the movie houses were crowded to capacity for the shows.

Those were the days of the "silent movies," and we did not have the pleasure of hearing the actors' and actresses' voices, but the stars more than made up in thrills and action, what they might have lacked in supplying color had their voices been heard.

Proof that the serials are yet remembered by many movie-goers is given us when many patrons of the theaters come by to look over the back files of these papers. Scanning these old files, kept at this office, their chief interest usually centers in the theater page, looking over the advertisements and pleasantly recalling stars and pictures of former years.

Manager Brockman recalls them, too, but he doesn't need to check back over newspaper files of a quarter of a century ago to recall them. He knows them by memory, and we'll wager there are few if any of the more popular serials of those days that he can not mention off hand, as well as naming the stars in the film for extra good measure.

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"Cinquenta pesos?" as a tentative suggestion from the Bazookaista.

And then: "Pero, si," with a vehemence on the part of the Latin. "But yes," because fifty dollars for a casa de perros of no matter what a bigness, was a small fortune.

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The boys ride from Borinquen to San Juan aboard a big bomber, and one of its seats must be removed to make space for the father of all violas de toro.

Young Mr. Perkins says promotion on the island station is more rapid than at States establishments, and for that reason he's remaining where he is. Also, as may have been surmised, life there isn't so dull.

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Obsequies Held Tuesday For Mrs. Hillin, Aged 87

Well-Known McKinney Woman Succumbs Monday Morning At Home Of Her Daughter, Mrs. J. R. Stewart.

Funeral services for Mrs. Mary Laura Hillin, 87, who died Monday morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. R. Stewart, 804 Parker Street, were conducted at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon at the First Methodist Church by the Pastor, Rev. Earl J. Patton, assisted by Rev. Luther Greer of Sanger and Rev. Milton Greer of McKinney. Interment followed in the Sachse Cemetery in Dallas County. The pallbearers were grandsons of the deceased. The Harris Funeral Home had charge of the arrangements.

Mrs. Hillin was born April 7, 1854 at Henderson, Texas. She had been a resident of Collin County for fifty-two years and had lived in McKinney at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Stewart, for about six years. She was a member of the Methodist Church at Murphy. She was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Melton Crow. The following children survive: Mrs. W. T. Reeves, Cashti; G. E. Hillin, Mt. Calm; Marvin Hillin, Murphy; W. M. Hillin, Bellevue; Mrs. Lola Smith, Dallas; Mrs. Bert Sharp, Dallas, and Mrs. Stewart, McKinney. Brothers and sisters surviving are: John Crow, Abe Crow and Mrs. Newell Fite, all of Henderson; G. H. Crow of Alta Loma, and Mrs. Bird Smith, Texarkana. There are also twenty grandchildren and sixteen great-grandchildren.

Miss Ann King Is Councillor At Camp Fern

Former McKinney Girl, Daughter Of Mr. And Mrs. Clyde King Of Longview, Holds Important Position At Camp Near Marshall; Three McKinney Girls Attending Camp.

Miss Ann King, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde King of Longview, is acting as Councillor at Camp Fern near Marshall. Miss King is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. K. D. Thompson, of McKinney. Her Mother is the former Miss Mary Frances Thompson. Ann is a student at Kilgore Junior College and finished the year with one of the highest averages made in the school. She is also a talented pianist and was recently presented in two recitals in Longview by her teacher, Virginia England Estes.

Three McKinney young ladies are attending Camp Fern during June: Daisy Jane Hill, daughter of Mrs. Florence Hill; Goldie Mae Caldwell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gibson Caldwell, and Annie Malone Erwin, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Erwin, Jr.

New Supply Of Forms Here For Stransfer Students

A new supply of forms for making application for transfer of school children from one district to another in Collin County was received from the State Superintendent's office at Austin Friday by County Superintendent J. W. Moseley.

For the convenience of the parents and for the benefit of the school children, Superintendent Moseley explained, there are two main reasons why a child can be transferred. One is that the pupil has completed the highest grade taught in the district in which he or she lives, in which case the State pays for the child's tuition and transportation next term. The other reason is that the parents have found it was more convenient for their child to attend a school in an adjoining district. In that case, the parent is required to come to the County Superintendent's office and make affidavit that the reasons set forth in the aplication are true, and in mapny cases these applications are passed upon favorably by the County School Board. The County Board examines all applications for transfer and they must all be in by August 1. The Board meets August 5 to pass on all desired transfers.

Tribute To Late Mrs. Jack Ray

Mrs. W. T. Dunn Of Dallas, But Formerly Of Altoga, Writes Tribute To Memory Of Departed Friend.

The following tribute to the memory of the late Mrs. Jack Ray, who died Saturday afternoon, June 14, at Altoga, is written and submitted to these newspapers by Mrs. W. T. Dunn, of Dallas, but for many years a resident of the Altoga community. Her tribute to Mrs. Ray follows:

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"Blessed are the dead which die in the Lord. God calls our loved ones, but we lose not wholly what He hath given.

"They live on earth in thought and deed as truly as in His Heaven."

On last Saturday afternoon, June 14, we laid to rest all that was mortal of our friend, Mrs. Jack Ray. Miss Minnie Gentle was married to Jack Ray in February, 1925. To this union were born two sons, Carl Wilford and Glenn. Minnie Ray professed faith in Christ and joined the Altoga Baptist Church in the summer of 1923, and with 54 other candidates was baptized by Rev. A. M. Herrington. Minnie was a frail, quiet, home-loving little Christian woman. In 1936 she went to a sanatorium in search of health. She stayed the allotted time, learned the treatments, took her rest, but these five years have been a fight to live, and a few months ago she knew she could not live and said to her friends: "I'm ready to go. Ask that the Vermillion Twins sing 'Heaven Holds All to Me.'"

Minnie was not afraid to go. She knew a home with God was awaiting her. Their little house was not rich in this world's goods, but instead there was love and devotion and companionship—a happy home. Jack and the boys did all that loving hands and hearts could do. Her friends were kind and helpful. But none of these could help her. The Father was saying "Come Unto Me." "And the kindly word we might have said; the smile we might have given, but did not prove, alas, at night, a Veil twixt us and Heaven."

Rev. J. H. Hilger, a long time friend of the family, and of all Altoga, brought a beautiful message of comfort to the friends and grieved loved ones.

We would say to Jack and the boys, "Grieve not for her. She is well and strong; no sickness there and we all know you did your best. There surely can be very few regrets. Of course you will grieve for your loneliness, for a voice you cannot hear, and the vanished footsteps, you will hear them still. You will cherish those sweet memories until some day you will be reunited in the Father's House."

Your friend,
MRS. TOM DUNN.

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IT WILL BE OUR POLICY IN THE FUTURE AS IN THE PAST TO BRING TO OUR SHOWS THE BEST THAT IS OBTAINABLE FOR YOUR AMUSEMENT.

AGAIN MAY WE SAY THANK YOU, R. L. BROCKMAN.

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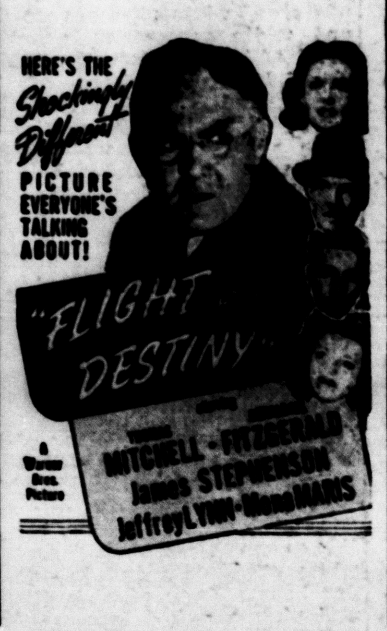

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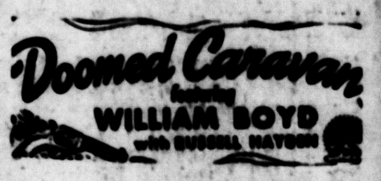

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Friday and Saturday

"The Phantom Cowboy"

Dr. Edwin Burton of Charlottesville, Va., is in McKinney visiting his parents, Dr. and Mrs. E. L. Burton.

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Mrs. Cliff Emerson was taken to her home, 311 North Church Street Monday after undergoing treatment at the McKinney City Hospital.

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Miss Carrie Jean Davis and nephew Don Weaver Davis have returned from a visit with Miss Davis' niece, Mrs. Richard Carr and family in Texarkana.

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Ray Roberts, who is a member of Congressman Sam Rayburn's secretarial staff in Washington, spent Father's Day in McKinney with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Roberts. He went to Marshall Tuesday to visit his wife, who is visiting in that city.

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The beautiful colonial home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry L. Shoap and Miss Bess Heard on North College Street is being repainted and redecorated on the interior.

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Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Martin attended a family reunion of her parents and family Rev. and Mrs. I. E. Hightower in Fort Worth Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jim Venerable are the proud parents of a sweet baby daughter, Mary Louise, born at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Venerable, Wednesday at Weston.

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